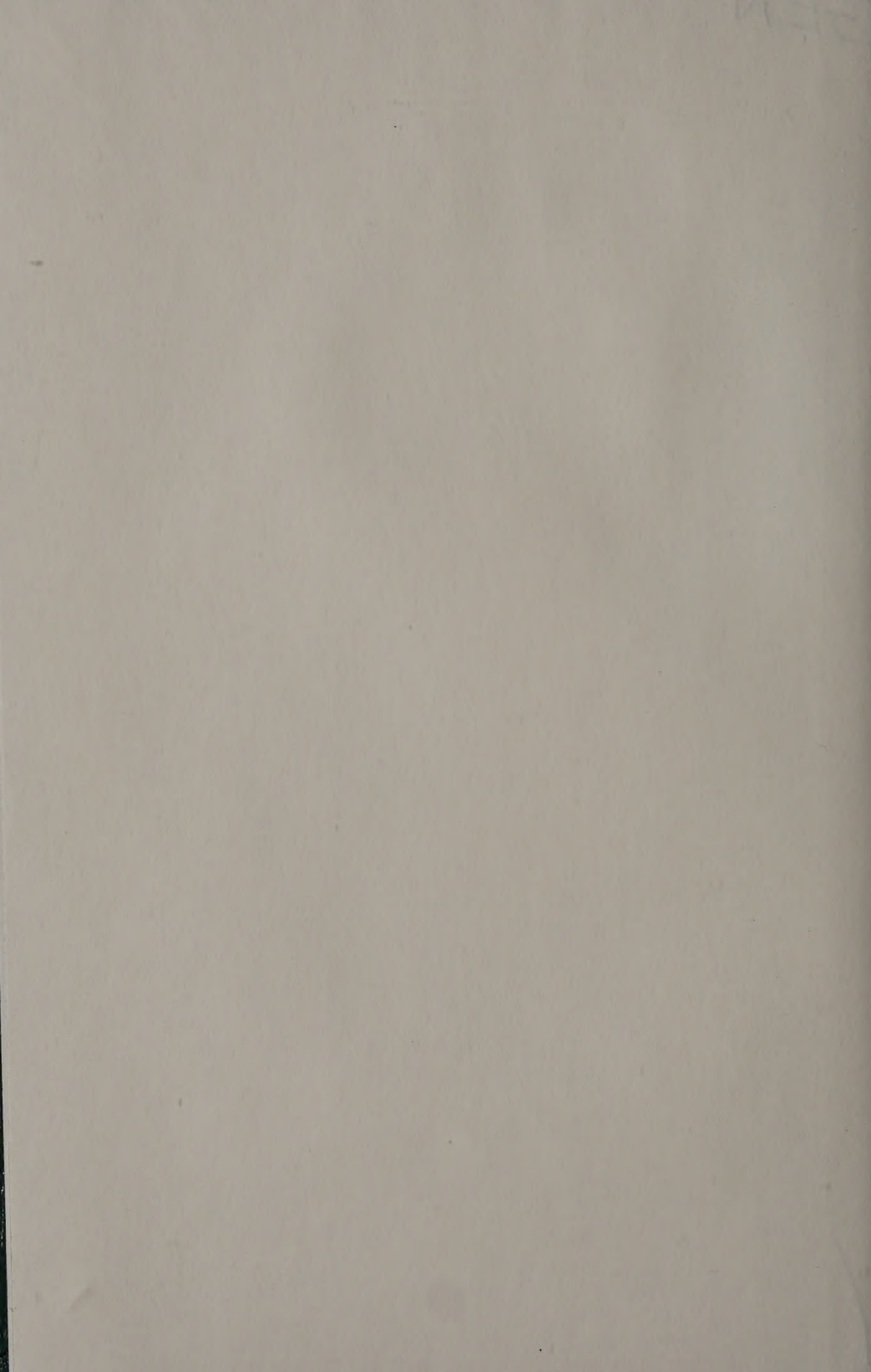






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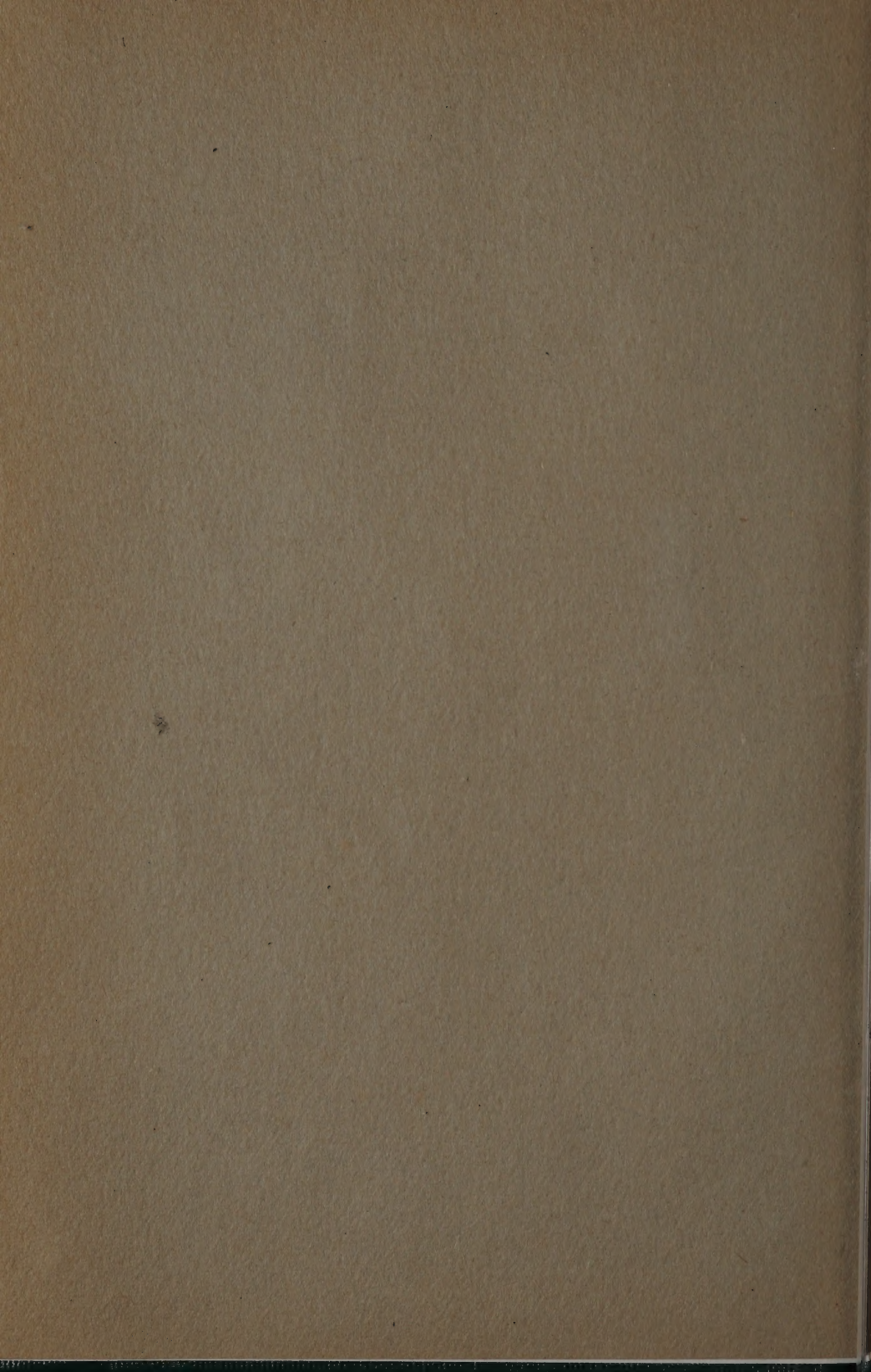
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FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
DECEMBER 31, 1944







# ANNUAL REPORT

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## TOWN OF DORSET

### VERMONT

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#### TOWN OFFICERS OF DORSET, VT., FOR 1944

Moderator ..... Paul E. White

Town Clerk ..... Anna A. Sherlock

Town Treasurer ..... Perry M. Peltier

#### Selectmen—

Paul E. White ..... Term Expires 1944

John H. Stannard ..... Term Expires 1945

Edward J. Leary ..... Term Expires 1946

#### School Directors—

John H. Stannard ..... Term Expires 1944

Ernest Edgerton ..... Term Expires 1945

J. R. Swan ..... Term Expires 1946

#### Road Commissioners—

Robert Kinnie ..... West Side

Russell Gay ..... East Side

#### Listers—

Henry G. Stone ..... Term Expires 1944

William P. McWayne ..... Term Expires 1945

William F. McDevitt ..... Term Expires 1946

#### Auditors—

Ernest H. West ..... Term Expires 1944

Guy S. Stone (in the Service) ..... Term Expires 1945

Edward L. Molloy ..... Term Expires 1946

Henry G. Stone, Assistant.

Overseer of Poor ..... F. F. Gilbert

First Constable ..... Burr D. Phillips

Second Constable ..... Ernest King

Delinquent Tax Collector ..... Burr D. Phillips

Health Officer ..... F. C. Liddle, M. D.

Grand Juror ..... Charles Nichols, West Side

Grand Juror ..... Edward Eggleston, East Side

Town Agents ..... Selectmen

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## AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Voters of the Town of Dorset:

Your Auditors have made a careful examination of the accounts of all the Town Officers and found them all correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

EDWARD L. MOLLOY,

ERNEST H. WEST,

HENRY G. STONE,

Auditors.

The 1944 Budget was insufficient to meet General Expenses, plus additional money voted at town meeting for repairs and town sheds, causing a deficit which must be taken care of by the Selectmen as required by law.

JOHN H. STANNARD,

E. J. LEARY,

PAUL E. WHITE,

Selectmen.

## MINUTES OF TOWN MEETING

March 7, 1944

Pursuant to the foregoing warning and notification the legal voters of the Town of Dorset met in Town Meeting at the School Hall in East Dorset on the 7th day of March, 1944, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to transact the following business:

In the absence of W. G. Barrows, Moderator, the meeting was called to order by Paul White, Selectman. The warning of the meeting was read by Mr. White.

Art. 1. W. F. McDevitt made the motion to accept the report of the Town Officers as printed. Motion seconded and carried.

Art. 2. "To elect Town Officers for the ensuing year, to be voted on by Australian Ballot." M. F. Kelly tendered his resignation as Selectman after serving the Town since 1904, and a motion was made by Mr. Theodore that a letter of thanks be sent to Mr. Kelly in appreciation for his long years of service. Motion seconded and carried. H. R. Davis made a motion that a copy of this letter be published in the Town Report. Duly seconded and carried.

Nominations were put in order to fill the vacancy of Selectman. John H. Stannard was nominated by Frederick Gilbert and duly seconded. He received a unanimous vote from the floor. The motion was made and duly seconded that the Clerk cast one ballot for Mr. Stannard as Selectman, and he was declared duly elected.

Town Officers for the ensuing year elected by Australian ballot:

Moderator .....	Paul E. White
Town Clerk .....	Anna A. Sherlock
Town Treasurer .....	Perry M. Peltier
Selectman (3 years) .....	Paul E. White
Lister (3 years) .....	Henry G. Stona
Road Commissioner (East Side) .....	Russell J. Gay
Road Commissioner (West Side) .....	Robert Kinnie
Overseer of Poor .....	Frederick F. Gilbert
First Constable .....	Burr D. Phillips
Second Constable .....	Ernest B. King
Tax Collector .....	Burr D. Phillips



Auditor ..... Ernest H. West  
 Grand Juror (East Side) ..... Edward C. Eggleston  
 Grand Juror (West Side) ..... Charles E. Nichols  
 School Director ..... John H. Stannard

Art. 3. "To hear the report of the Town Officers on the Budget adopted at the 1943 Town Meeting,—and to act upon the 1944 Budget and its attendant Tax Rate, as prepared by the Town Officers." Before the Budget was voted on a motion was made by Charles A. Wade that a new heating plant be installed in the Dorset School. Motion seconded and carried. After a discussion by several of the taxpayers, Carleton Howe made the motion that the Selectmen and the School Directors be empowered to investigate and act upon installing heating plants in the Dorset and East Dorset schools. Motion seconded and carried.

Motion was made by Chas. A. Wade that the budget be increased to cover the cost of installing said heaters. After further discussion on the matter Mr. Wade withdrew his motion and the motion was made by Carleton Howe that the Selectmen borrow \$2,000.00 to defray the expenses of installing said heating plants. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded to accept the budget as printed in the Town Report. It was so voted.

Art. 4. "To see if the Town will vote to raise money by taxation or otherwise to pay the current expenses and indebtedness of the Town." Voted to raise money by taxation to pay the current expenses and indebtedness of the Town.

Art. 5. "To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions made by law for the payment of Taxes to the Town Treasurer." Motion made and seconded that taxes be paid to the Town Treasurer. Carried.

Art. 6. "To determine by vote the date on which Taxes shall be payable and what discount, if any, not to exceed four per cent shall be allowed if paid on or before the specified time." Motion made that Poll Taxes be paid on or before July 1st, and Real Estate Taxes on or before Oct. 1st, with a four per cent discount if paid on or before these dates.

Art. 7. "Shall the names of delinquent taxpayers of both Poll and Real Estate Taxes be published in the Town Report?" Motion made and seconded that the names of delinquent taxpayers be published in the Town Report. Motion carried.

Art. 8. "What amount, if any, in excess of that required by law, shall the Town School District pay for High School Tuition?" Motion made and seconded that \$45 in excess of

that required by law be paid by the Town for High School Tuition. It was so voted.

Art. 9. "To see if the Town will vote an appropriation of \$100.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day." Voted \$100.00 for the observance of Memorial Day.

Motion made and seconded that the meeting adjourn until 1:30 P. M., for dinner. Carried.

Meeting called to order at 1:30 P. M., by the Moderator.

Art. 10. "Shall licenses for the sale of malt and vinous beverages be granted in this Town?" Yes 65; No 24.

"Shall spirituous liquors be sold in this Town?" Yes 54; No. 40.

Art. 11. "To see what compensation the Town will vote its Town Officers." Motion made that the Town Officers be paid \$4.00 per day. Duly seconded and carried.

Art. 12. "To see if the Town will vote to authorize and empower the Selectmen to appoint one or two Road Commissioners." Elected by ballot.

Art. 13. "To see if the Town will vote to employ an Accountant from the Office of the Auditor of Accounts under Article No. 55, Acts of 1937." Motion made and seconded that this article be laid on the table. It was so voted.

Art. 14. "Shall baseball be permitted after 2:00 P. M., on Sunday in this Town?" Yes 83; No 10.

"Shall moving pictures be permitted after 6:00 P. M., on Sunday in this Town?" Yes 84; No 9.

"Shall lectures and concerts be permitted after 6:00 P. M. on Sunday in this Town?" Yes 87; No 5.

Art. 15. "To see if the Town will vote to adopt the Australian Ballot System for the election of Town Officers." Motion made and seconded that the Town continue to use the Australian Ballot System for the election of Town Officers. Carried.

Art. 16. "To see if the Town will vote an appropriation of \$200.00 or any other amount, to the Dorset Library." Voted an appropriation of \$200.00 to the Dorset Library.

Art. 17. "To see if the Town will vote to have its Fiscal Year end December 31st, 1944." Motion made and seconded that the Fiscal Year of the Town end December 21st, 1944. Motion carried.

Art. 18. "To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to purchase material to build sheds, also to buy or



lease land to build sheds on, for the purpose of storing town machinery." Motion made and seconded that the Selectmen buy the East Dorset Creamery buildings. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Rufus Gilbert and duly seconded that the chair appoint a committee to investigate and act on leasing or buying land on which to erect sheds for the purpose of storing town machinery. Carried. The committee appointed was Rufus S. Gilbert, Thomas W. Warren and H. G. Stone.

Art. 19. "To transact any other business proper to come before this meeting." Motion made and seconded that the minutes of this meeting be published in the Town Report. Carried.

A discussion on the question of employing a town manager resulted in a motion by Leland P. Beebe, which was duly seconded, that the chair appoint a committee to confer with the Town Officers of Rupert. Leland Beebe was appointed chairman of this committee, he to appoint the other two members.

The result of the ballot on Town Officers was read by the Moderator.

Motion made and seconded to adjourn.

The following newly elected officers took the oath of office before W. H. Beebe, Justice of the Peace: Russell Gay, John Stannard, F. F. Gilbert, Anna A. Sherlock, Robert Kinnie, Perry M. Peltier, and Paul E. White.

Ernest B. King and Burr D. Phillips, by H. G. Stone, Justice.

ANNA W. ACKERT, Acting Clerk.

A true copy of Record.

Attest: ANNA A. SHERLOCK, Town Clerk.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

Perry M. Peltier, Treasurer

### Receipts

1944

Jan. 1, balance on hand .....	\$ 4,013.56
Jan. 4, State of Vermont, town highways .....	1,904.98
Jan. 7, Harry Sheldon, window damage .....	7.76
Jan. 20, Charles Stannard, window damage .....	3.86
Jan 25, State of Vermont, resurfacing .....	172.00
Jan. 28, B. D. Phillips, tax collector—	
1935 back tax, poll .....	5.40
1942 back taxes, polls .....	12.10
1943 back taxes, polls .....	18.15
1936 back tax, property .....	1.67
1942 back taxes, property .....	52.60
1943 back taxes, property .....	111.38
Jan 31, Harold Snow, window damage .....	3.86
Feb. 14, B. D. Phillips, tax collector—	
1933 back tax, property .....	5.69
1934 back tax, property .....	5.89
1935 back tax, property .....	5.89
1936 back tax, property .....	6.71
1937 back tax, property .....	6.71
1938 back tax, property .....	7.22
1939 back tax, property .....	7.22
1940 back tax, property .....	7.23
1941 back tax, property .....	7.23
1942 back taxes, property .....	112.33
1943 back taxes, property .....	24.82
1936 back tax, poll .....	5.05
1943 back taxes, polls .....	48.40
Feb. 23, Ronald Fisher, window damage .....	3.86
Feb. 28, R. B. Crispell, plowing snow .....	15.00
Mar. 3, John Adams Browne Corp., loan at 1.5%...	15,000.00
Mar. 27, Ellen Gallagher, 1944 glebe rent .....	10.38
Apr. 15, B. D. Phillips, tax collector—	
1942 back taxes, property .....	731.60
1943 back taxes, property .....	161.42
1940 back tax, poll .....	6.05
1941 back tax, poll .....	6.05



1943 back taxes, polls .....	24.20
Apr. 18, State of Vermont, forest receipts .....	118.60
May 10, State of Vermont, winter roads .....	445.50
May 11, Anna A. Sherlock, dog taxes .....	278.05
May 11, Anna A. Sherlock, beer licenses .....	48.00
May 16, Virginia Nelson, scrap drive, No. Dist. sch.	7.00
June 3, B. D. Phillips, tax collector—	
1940 back tax, property .....	104.24
1942 back taxes, property .....	14.10
1943 back taxes, property .....	49.66
1942 back taxes, polls .....	12.10
1943 back taxes, polls .....	30.25
June 6, Eleanor Wilson, Village school playground supplies .....	9.67
June 15, Robert Warner, plowing snow .....	3.00
June 28, State of Vermont, state aid, school repairs	6.70
July 2, poll taxes paid to treasurer .....	1,394.40
July 2, Old Age Assistance tax paid treasurer ....	1,037.50
July 8, H. R. B. Allen, 1944 glebe rent .....	61.32
July 27, B. D. Phillips, tax collector—	
1941 back tax, poll .....	6.05
1942 back taxes, polls .....	12.10
1943 back taxes, polls .....	54.45
1944 back taxes, polls .....	12.10
1942 back tax, property .....	35.05
1943 back tax, property .....	91.05
July 28, John Stannard, hall rent .....	2.00
July 29, J. Arthur Proulx, donation to general fund	6.00
Aug. 24, J. R. Swan, hall rent .....	5.00
Aug. 26, John Stannard, hall rent .....	2.00
Sept. 11, State of Vermont, resurfacing .....	305.07
Sept. 12, State of Vermont, state aid, schools.....	2,636.66
Sept. 28, Anna A. Sherlock, 3 dog taxes, less fees..	11.40
Oct. 2, Mrs. W. H. Brock, old plank .....	1.00
Oct. 3, property taxes paid treasurer .....	31,501.94
Oct. 10, Mary Parkinson, unlisted tax .....	5.86
Oct. 20, B. D. Phillips, tax collector—	
1937 back tax, poll .....	5.80
1939 back tax, poll .....	6.05
1940 back tax, poll .....	6.05

1941 back tax, poll .....	6.05
1942 back taxes, polls .....	18.15
1943 back taxes, polls .....	36.30
1944 back taxes, polls .....	36.30
1935 back tax, property .....	2.33
1940 back tax, property .....	.48
1941 back tax, property .....	.49
1942 back tax, property .....	.51
1943 back taxes, property .....	21.61
1944 back tax, property .....	8.80
Oct. 20, J. R. Swan, hall rent .....	15.00
Oct. 21, Dorset Field Club, Inc., chloride .....	13.80
Nov. 3, J. R. Swan, hall rent .....	10.00
Nov. 3, Est. of Howard R. Pfaelzer, chloride .....	34.50
Nov. 7, State of Vermont, town highways .....	1,351.65
Nov. 16, State of Vermont, resurfacing .....	220.20
Nov. 28, B. D. Phillips, tax collector—	
1944 back taxes, property .....	254.64
1942 back tax, poll .....	6.05
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	\$62,878.85

### Disbursements

Selectmen's Orders paid .....	\$33,589.46
Overseer of Poor Orders paid .....	4,809.25
Road Commissioners' Orders paid .....	5,697.71
School Directors' Orders paid .....	16,201.21
Balance on hand .....	2,581.22
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	\$62,878.85



## LIABILITIES

### Borrowed Money—

Selectmen's note issued to John Adams	
Browne, 1.75% .....	\$15,000.00

### Cemetery Fund—

East Dorset Cemetery Fund 4½%...	\$1,600.00	
East Dorset Cemetery Fund 4% ....	900.00	
Edgerton Fund care of monument 4%	100.00	
Interest accumulated from Dec. 1934	36.00	
North Dorset Cemetery Fund 4%...	100.00	
		2,736.00

### Outstanding Town Orders—

#### Selectmen:

##### White—

1941 Report, No. 118 .....	\$ 15.00	
1944 Report, No. 130 .....	9.85	
1944 Report, No. 202 .....	7.20	
1944 Report, No. 213 .....	2.40	
1944 Report, No. 229 .....	35.00	
1944 Report, No. 230 .....	157.35	
1944 Report, No. 231 .....	3.90	
		230.70

##### Leary—

1944 Report, No. 212 .....	\$ 20.00	
1944 Report, No. 235 .....	3.00	
1944 Report, No. 239 .....	16.00	
1944 Report, No. 244 .....	9.90	
1944 Report, No. 245 .....	32.03	
1944 Report, No. 246 .....	4.00	
1944 Report, No. 247 .....	4.00	
1944 Report, No. 248 .....	2.40	
1944 Report, No. 249 .....	15.40	
1944 Report, No. 250 .....	1.50	
1944 Report, No. 251 .....	2.40	
1944 Report, No. 252 .....	2.40	
1944 Report, No. 253 .....	80.90	
1944 Report, No. 254 .....	3.63	
		197.56

##### Kelly—

1934 Report, No. 47 .....	\$ 13.10	
1941 Report, No. 90 .....	3.67	
		16.77

Stannard—

1944 Report, No. 13 ..... 62.48

School Account:

Edgerton, School Director—

1941 Report, No. 111 .....	\$ 1.40	
1944 Report, No. 164 .....	5.00	
1944 Report, No. 176 .....	6.00	
1944 Report, No. 177 .....	121.15	
1944 Report, No. 178 .....	2.00	
1944 Report, No. 179 .....	22.20	
1944 Report, No. 180 .....	2.31	
		<hr/> 160.06

Swan, School Director—

1944 Report, No. 43 .....	\$ 25.00	
1944 Report, No. 59 .....	86.80	
1944 Report, No. 60 .....	20.00	
1944 Report, No. 61 .....	10.00	
1944 Report, No. 65 .....	2.50	
1944 Report, No. 66 .....	1.50	
		<hr/> 145.80

Stannard, School Director—

1943 Report, No. 276 .....	\$ 3.00	
1944 Report, No. 311 .....	3.00	
		<hr/> 6.00

Overser of Poor:

Gilbert—

1944 Report, No. 264 .....	\$ 10.00	
1944 Report, No. 265 .....	3.00	
1944 Report, No. 272 .....	10.00	
1944 Report, No. 273 .....	14.10	
1944 Report, No. 274 .....	10.00	
1944 Report, No. 277 .....	4.82	
		<hr/> 51.92

Harwood—

1934 Report, No. 75 .....	\$ 5.00	
1934 Report, No. 232 .....	1.00	
1935 Report, No. 277 .....	10.00	
1936 Report, No. 88 .....	1.35	
1937 Report, No. 149 .....	5.40	
		<hr/> 22.75

Road Commissione:r

Beebe—

1941 Report, No. 6 .....	11.00
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Gay—Town Roads—		
1944 Report, No. 39 .....	\$ 28.70	
1944 Report, No. 55 .....	28.10	
1944 Report, No. 73 .....	28.10	
1944 Report, No. 89 .....	2.47	
		87.37
Mary—State Aid—		
1944 Report, No. 1 .....	\$ 23.70	
1944 Report, No. 8 .....	14.91	
1944 Report, No. 13 .....	6.90	
1944 Report, No. 19 .....	16.60	
1944 Report, No. 29 .....	5.50	
1944 Report, No. 30 .....	.80	
		68.41
Mary—State Aid—		
1944 Report, No. 1 .....	\$ 3.00	
1944 Report, No. 11 .....	28.10	
		31.10
Kinnie—		
1941 Report, No. 39 .....	\$ 6.67	
1944 Report, No. 310 .....	3.10	
		9.77
		\$18,837.69
School Department Balance .....		366.04
Total Liabilities .....	\$19,203.73	
Total Possible Assets .....	10,272.80	
Indebtedness as of Jan. 1, 1945 .....	\$ 8,930.93	
Less School Balance for comparison with 1943 report .....	366.04	
		\$8,564.89

## POSSIBLE ASSETS

Due in back property tax (includes \$38.66 part payment) .....	\$ 2,182.01
Due in back poll taxes .....	647.35
Road money due from state .....	258.00
*Coe property (value as per tax sale) .....	1,587.62
*People's Trust Co. (value as per tax sale) .....	1,256.60
Lillie property (value as per tax sale) .....	300.00
Poll tax from prior collector (Blackmer) .....	5.40
Refund on forest fires .....	41.33
Back road money due from state .....	1,177.10
Balance in hands of Treasurer Jan. 1, 1945 .....	2,581.22
Back taxes in Collector's hands Jan. 1, 1945 .....	236.17

Total Possible Assets .....\$10,272.80

\*Covers marble quarrying rights and a small area of mountain land taken over by the Town for unpaid taxes.

GRAND LIST, \$10,259.76.

TAX RATE, \$3.60.



## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

**John H. Stannard, Selectman (South Dorset)**

### General Account

Order No.	Amount
1 Henry Gallagher, 5 hrs. labor, E. road ditches	\$ 2.50
2 M. J. McDevitt, 5 hrs. labor, E. side ditches..	2.50
3 Edw. Molloy, auditing \$15, postage town Rpt.	22.50
4 W. F. McDevitt, 1 day abatement, 2 days check list, 1 day absentee ballots, 1 day town meeting .....	20.00
5 Clara Nugent, 1 day election clerk .....	4.00
6 W. F. McDevitt, services as lister .....	36.00
7 W. F. McDevitt, balance on listing .....	20.00
8 L. H. Walker, to cover loss of sheep killed by dogs, 17 sheep at \$8 each .....	136.00
9 W. F. McDevitt, 7 days on election board of authority .....	28.00
10 W. A. Purdy, storm sash and repair material for Dorset Village school .....	234.41
11 John Adams Browne Corp., note due Nov. 8..	15,000.00
12 W. F. McDevitt, 5 days on fall election .....	20.00
13* John H. Stannard, services and expenses as selectman .....	62.48
	\$15,588.39

\*Outstanding order, 1944 Report, No. 13, \$62.48.

**E. J. Leary, Selectman (East Side)**

### State Back Road Fund

Total Fund for entire town .....	\$2,703.30
Amount for East side of town .....	\$1,351.65
1 John Cunningham, 6 hrs. at 50c .....	\$ 3.00
2 John Cunningham, 7 hrs. at 50c .....	3.50
3 Earl Bowen, 11½ hrs. at 50c .....	5.75
4 Russell Gay, 16 hrs. self and truck at \$2.00 per hr. (truck carried 3 yds. per trip) ....	32.00
5 David Bushee, 7 hrs. at 50c .....	3.50
6 John Cunningham, 26 hrs. at 50c .....	13.00
7 Russell Gay, 3 hrs. truck at \$1.00; 12 hrs. labor at 50c .....	9.00

Order No.	Amount
8 Earl Bowen, 5 hrs. at 50c .....	2.50
9 David Bushee, 2½ hrs. at 50c .....	1.25
10 C. G. Howe, 8½ hrs. tractor and driver on road machine at \$4.00 .....	34.00
11* John Cunningham, 48 hrs. at 60c, less 70c tax	28.10
12 Howard Bowen, 48 hrs. at 60c, less \$1.90 tax	26.90
13 Simon King, 36 hrs. at 60c, less 30c tax....	21.30
14 Wm. Corey, 32 hrs. at 60c, less \$1.10 tax....	18.10
15 Wm. Jameson, 48 hrs. at 60c, less \$3.10 tax..	25.70
16 Russell Gay, 48 hrs. at 60c, less 50c tax ....	28.30
17 Russell Gay, 44 hrs. truck drawing gravel, 3 yds. per trip at \$1.50 (no tax, vehicle only)	66.00
18 Richardson Gravel Co., 87 yds. at 10c.....	8.70
19 John Cunningham, 48 hrs. at 60c, less 70c tax	28.10
20 Howard Bowen, 48 hrs. at 60c, less \$1.90 tax	26.90
21 Simon King, 44 hrs. at 60c, less 70c tax....	25.70
22 Wm. Corey, 48 hrs. at 60c, less \$3.10 tax....	25.70
23 Wm. Jameson, 24 hrs. at 60c, less 10c tax...	14.30
24 Russell Gay, 48 hrs. at 60c, less 50c tax....	28.30
25 Russell Gay, 48 hrs. truck drawing gravel, 3 yds. per trip at \$1.50 (no tax, vehicle only)	72.00
26 J. H. Bebee, 28 hrs. self and truck drawing gravel, 3 yds. per trip at \$2.10; vehicle \$42.00; driver \$16.80; tax on driver 20c (no tax on vehicle) .....	58.60
27 Israel Greenberg, 84 yds. gravel at 10c ....	8.40
28 John Cunningham, 48 hrs. at 60c, less 70c tax	28.10
29 Howard Bowen, 48 hrs. at 60c, less \$1.90 tax	26.90
30 Simon King, 24 hrs. at 60c, less 7c tax....	14.33
31 Wm. Corey, 40 hrs. at 60c, less \$2.10 tax..	21.90
32 Russell Gay, 48 hrs. at 60c, less 50c tax ....	28.30
33 Russell Gay, 48 hrs. truck drawing gravel, 3 yds. per trip at \$1.50 (no tax, vehicle only)	72.00
34 F. V. Read, Jr., 22 hrs. truck drawing gravel, 3 yds. per trip at \$1.50 (no tax, vehicle only) .....	33.00
35 Israel Greenberg, 108 yds. gravel at 10c ....	10.80
36 John Cunningham, 32 hrs. at 60c, less 20c tax	19.00
37 Howard Bowen, 24 hrs. at 60c, less 7c tax....	14.33
38 Wm. Corey, 32 hrs. at 60c, less \$1.10 tax....	18.10
39 Burton Snow, 32 hrs. at 60c, less 20c tax ....	19.00
40 Russell Gay, 32 hrs. at 60c, less 20c tax....	19.00
41 Russell Gay, 32 hrs. truck drawing gravel, 3 yds. per trip at \$1.50 (no tax, vehicle only)	48.00
42 F. V. Read, Jr., 24 hrs. truck drawing gravel, 3 yds per trip at \$1.50 (no tax, vehicle only) .....	36.00

Order No.		Amount
43	Israel Greenberg, 111 yds. gravel at 10c ....	11.10
44	John Cunningham, 32 hrs. at 60c, less 20c tax	19.00
45	Wm. Corey, 24 hrs. at 60c, less \$1.10 tax....	13.30
46	Burton Snow, 20 hrs. at 60c, (no tax) .....	12.00
47	Russell Gay, 32 hrs. at 60c, less 20c tax ....	19.00
48	Russell Gay, 32 hrs. truck drawing gravel, 3 yds. per trip at \$1.50 (no tax, vehicle only)	48.00
49	Frank Benedict, 32 hrs. at 60c, less 20c tax..	19.00
50	Israel Greenberg, 60 yds. gravel at 10c ....	6.00
51	John Cunningham, 32 hrs. at 60c, less 20c tax	19.00
52	Wm. Corey, 32 hrs. at 60c, less \$1.10 tax ....	18.10
53	Burton Snow, 32 hrs. at 60c, less 20c tax....	19.00
54	Russell Gay, 32 hrs. at 60c, less 20c tax ....	19.00
55	Russell Gay, 32 hrs. truck drawing gravel, 3 yds. per trip at \$1.50 (no tax, vehicle only)	48.00
56	Frank Benedict, 24 hrs. at 60c, less 7c tax ..	14.33
57	Israel Greenberg, 72 yds. gravel at 10c.....	7.20
58	Russell Gay, 11 hrs. 35 minutes, cutting brush on road, at 60c .....	6.95
59	Collector of Internal Revenue, tax on orders Nos. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 44, 45, 47, 49, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56..	25.31

Total amount spent .....\$ 1,351.65

Total amount allowed .....\$ 1,351.65

Trucks rated according to amount yardage carried.

\*Outstanding orders 1944 report: No. 1, \$3.00; No. 11,  
\$28.10; total \$31.10.

### State Aid Road No. 3 Funds

Amount by State of Vermont .....\$ 220.20

Amount by Town of Dorset ..... 110.10

1st application, amount .....\$ 330.30

2nd application, amt. by State of Vt... 220.20

Total amount .....\$ 550.50

1*	John Cunningham, 40 hrs. at 60c, less 30c tax \$	23.70
2	Wm. Corey, 40 hrs. at 60c, less \$2.10 tax ...	21.90
3	Burton Snow, 40 hrs. at 60c, less 30c tax ....	23.70
4	Russell Gay, 40 hrs. at 60c, less 30c tax ....	23.70
5	Russell Gay, 40 hrs. truck drawing gravel, 3 yds. per trip at \$1.50 (no tax, vehicle only)	60.00
6	Frank Benedict, 40 hrs. at 60c, less 30c tax ..	23.70
7	Israel Greenberg, 90 yds. gravel at 10c ....	9.00



Order No.	Amount
8* John Cunningham, 25 hrs. at 60c, less 9c tax	14.91
9 Burton Snow, 25 hrs. at 60c, less 9c tax ....	14.91
10 Russell Gay, 25 hrs. at 60c, less 9c tax ....	14.91
11 Russell Gay, 25 hrs. truck drawing gravel, 3 yds. per trip at \$1.50 (no tax, vehicle only)	37.50
12 Frank Benedict, 25 hrs. at 60c, less 9c tax..	14.91
13* John Cunningham, 11½ hrs. at 60c .....	6.90
14 Frank Benedict, 11½ hrs. at 60c .....	6.90
15 Burton Snow, 11½ hrs. at 60c .....	6.90
16 Russell Gay, 11 hrs. at 60c .....	6.60
17 Russell Gay, 11 hrs. truck drawing gravel, 3 yds. per trip at \$1.50 (no tax, vehicle only)	16.50
18 Collector of Internal Revenue, tax on orders Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 10, 12 .....	3.66
19* John Cunningham, 28 hrs. at 60c, less 20c tax	16.60
20 Burton Snow, 36 hrs. at 60c, less 30c tax....	21.30
21 Frank Benedict, 36 hrs. at 60c, less 30c tax..	21.30
22 Russell Gay, 12 hrs. at 60c .....	7.20
23 Russell Gay, 36 hrs. truck drawing gravel, 3 yds. per trip at \$1.50 (no tax, vehicle only)	54.00
24 Burton Snow, 16 hrs at 60c .....	9.60
25 Worth Bowen, 16 hrs. at 60c .....	9.60
26 Russell Gay, 16 hrs. truck drawing gravel, 3 yds. per trip at \$1.50 (no tax, vehicle only)	24.00
27 Frank Benedict, 8 hrs. at 60c .....	4.80
28 Russell Gay, 16 hrs. at 60c .....	9.60
29* Israel Greenberg, 55 yds. gravel at 10c.....	5.50
30* Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding taxes on orders Nos. 19, 20, 21 .....	.80
Expended .....	\$ 514.60
Unexpended .....	35.90

Total fund allowed .....\$ 550.50

Trucks rated according to amount of yardage carried.

\*Outstanding orders 1944 report: No. 1, \$23.70; No. 8, \$14.91; No. 13, \$6.90; No. 19, \$16.60; No. 29, \$5.50; No. 30, 80c; total \$68.41.

### General Account

1 A. W. Haley, 1 day with authority, tax abatement .....	\$ 4.00
2 E. J. Leary, 1 day with authority, tax abatement .....	4.00
3 Edward Griffith, retainer & legal service 1943	50.00
4 Earl H. Fisher, 93 yds. sand loaded on truck at 25c .....	23.25

Order No.		Amount
5	C. G. Howe, 10 hrs. plowing snow with tractor at \$3.00 .....	30.00
6	Town of Manchester, 10 hrs. plowing snow at \$3.25 .....	32.50
7	S. Weinberg Co., 500 ft. snow fence at \$13.00	65.00
8	Chas. Matson, 22½ hrs. winter maint. at 50c	11.25
9	J. H. Bebee, 5 hrs. truck and driver sanding at \$1.50 per hr., \$7.50; 17½ hrs. truck and driver plowing snow at \$2.50 per hr. \$43.75	51.25
10	Art. Brophy, 5 hrs. sanding at 50c per hr....	2.50
11	L. A. Wade, 5 hrs. sanding at 50c per hr. ....	2.50
12	F. V. Read, Jr., 3 hrs. truck and driver on winter maintenance at \$1.50 .....	4.50
13	J. H. Faught & Son, 1 Burroughs adding machine, rebuilt .....	49.50
14	Chas. Matson, 5 hrs. winter maint. at 50c ..	2.50
15	J. H. Bebee, 3½ hrs. plowing snow at \$2.50 per hr., \$8.75; 1½ hrs. truck and driver sanding at \$1.50, \$2.25 .....	11.00
16	H. G. Stone, 1 day with authority, \$4; assisting auditors \$15 .....	19.00
17	L. C. Baker, 1 stove cord wood, town clerk's office .....	4.00
18	Chas. Matson, 3 hrs. repair work on V-snow-plow .....	1.50
19	J. H. Bebee, 4 hrs. truck work loading V-plow for repairs .....	6.00
20	Chas. Matson, 18 hrs. winter maintenance...	9.00
21	J. H. Bebee, 9 hrs. plowing snow, \$24.75; 8 hrs. sanding with truck, \$12; 1 hr. truck on winter maintenance, \$1.50; 2 hrs. labor repairing truck plow \$1. ....	39.25
22	East Dorset Cemetery Assn., interest to Feb. 1, 1944, 4½% on \$1600, \$72.00; 4% on \$900, \$36.00 .....	108.00
23	E. J. Leary, services and expenses Selectman to Feb. 4 .....	34.95
24	Chas. Matson, 11 hrs. helper on snow plow ..	5.50
25	Jas. H. Bebee, 11 hrs. plowing snow at \$2.75	30.25
26	Chas. Matson, 19½ hrs. helper on snow plow and sanding roads .....	9.75
27	J. H. Bebee, 16 hrs. plowing snow at \$2.75, \$44; 3½ hrs. truck sanding at \$1.50, \$5.25	49.25
28	H. G. Stone, balance due on auditing... ..	20.00
29	J. H. Bebee, 6½ hrs. plowing snow at \$2.75, \$17.87; 6 hrs. sanding with truck at \$1.50, \$9.00 .....	26.87
30	L. A. Wade, 3½ hrs. sanding at 50c .....	1.75

Order No.	Amount
31 Chas. Matson, 12½ hrs. sanding and on snow plow .....	6.25
32 Chas. Matson, 2 hrs. helper on snow plow...	1.00
33 Tuttle Pub. Co., 500 certificates of nominations printed .....	9.00
34 Lincoln Iron Works, 24 bolts, \$3.36; postage, 23c; for snow plow .....	3.59
35 Manchester Plumbing & Hardware Co., 2 shovels at \$1.50 each .....	3.00
36 C. G. Howe, repairs to V-plow, transportation to and from Rutland, labor, bolts, etc....	81.71
37 Harold Beebe, 10 hrs. helper on show plow and sanding .....	5.00
38 J. H. Bebee, 9 hrs. truck plowing snow at \$2.75, \$24.75; 3 hrs. truck sanding at \$1.50, \$4.50 .....	29.25
39 L. A. Wade, 1 cd. wood, town clerk's office, \$4; 1 hr. work in wood shed 50c .....	4.50
40 J. H. Bebee, 6½ hrs. truck sanding at \$1.50.	9.75
41 L. A. Wade, 3 hrs. sanding at 50c .....	1.50
42 Art. Brophy, 5½ hrs. sanding at 50c .....	2.75
43 Chas. Matson, 3½ hrs. sanding at 50c .....	1.75
44 A. W. Haley, 2 days with board authority, check list rev. ....	8.00
45 E. J. Leary, 2 days with board authority, check list rev. ....	8.00
46 H. G. Stone, various supplies town clerk's office, \$2.18; road supplies, \$8.70; gas and oil, town tractor, \$11.17 .....	22.05
47 H. G. Stone, balance on auditing 1943 report, \$15; 2 days with board authority, \$8 ....	23.00
48 L. A. Wade, up & down voting booths, \$2.25; cleaning hall, \$1; building 2 fires, \$1 ....	4.25
49 J. Cunningham, 20 hrs. taking down town sheds .....	10.00
50 J. H. Bebee, 12 hrs. plowing snow, \$34.38; 5½ hrs. truck sanding, \$8.25 .....	42.63
51 Chas. Matson, 12½ hrs. on snow plow, 5½ sanding, total 18 hrs. at 50c .....	9.00
52 Russell Gay, 3 hrs. sanding, \$1.50; 13½ hrs. on thawing culverts, \$6.75; 8½ hrs. truck work at \$1.00, \$8.50 .....	16.75
53 J. Cunningham, 14 hrs. thawing culverts, \$7.00, less tax .....	6.80
54 Mark Whalon, land for town sheds .....	1.00
55 H. G. Stone, town officials' bonds, year 1944	102.50
56 J. H. Bebee, 6 hrs. truck plowing, \$16.50; 3½ hrs. truck on winter maintenance, \$3.50; 5½ hrs. labor, \$2.75 .....	22.75



Order No.	Amount
57 Russell Gay, 8 hrs. truck on turning water, \$8.00; 4 hrs. truck sanding, \$4.00; 5 hrs. labor, \$2.50 .....	14.50
58 J. Cunningham, 14½ hrs. turning water, 3 hrs. sanding; total 17½ hrs.....	8.75
59 H. Kristiansen, 14½ hrs. turning water, 3 hrs. sanding, total 17½ hrs. ....	8.75
60 Chas. Matson, 6 hrs. on snow plow, 7 hrs. on turning water, total 13 hrs. ....	6.50
61 L. C. Baker, 5 hrs. turning water .....	2.50
62 J. Cunningham, 21 hrs. taking down town sheds \$10.50, less tax .....	10.30
63 J. R. Swan, 1 day clerk town meeting .....	4.00
64 Art. Brophy, 5 hrs. turning water, etc. ....	2.50
65 Anna A. Shorlock, services and expenses, Sept. 15, 1943, to March 15, 1944 .....	75.06
66 Earl Bowen, 3 hrs. turning water, 5 hrs. thawing culverts, total 8 hrs. ....	4.00
67 Art. Brophy, 4 hrs. cleaning ditches and culverts .....	2.00
68 David Bushee, 10 hrs. truck on turning water, etc., \$10.00; 4 hrs. labor, \$1.50 .....	11.50
69 J. Cunningham, 34½ hrs. on turning water, thawing culverts, helper on snow plow, less tax .....	17.05
70 Russell Gay, 3½ hrs. truck plowing snow, \$9.63; 23 hrs. truck on thawing, \$23; 20½ hrs. labor \$10.25 .....	42.88
71 Isaac DeKalb, boiler room building \$100.00; taking down, \$25; 1 used soft coal stove, \$6 .....	131.00
72 Russell Gay, 13½ hrs. truck on thawing culverts, \$13.50; 13½ hrs. labor thawing culverts, \$6.75 .....	20.25
73 Russell Gay, 4 hrs. truck moving lumber, town sheds, at \$1.00 hr. ....	4.00
74 Anna Ackert, 1 day taking minutes, town meeting .....	4.00
75 W. H. Beebe, 1 day abatement, 1 day check list, 1 day town meeting .....	12.00
76 David Bushee, 4 hrs. moving town shed lumber at 50c .....	2.00
77 Earle Bowen, 4 hrs. moving town shed lumber at 50c .....	2.00
78 David Bushee, 6 hrs. truck on thawing, etc., at \$1.00 per hr. ....	6.00
79 E. J. Leary, 2 phone calls to Rutland 93c; 2 calls to Benn., 93c; 5 calls to Dorset, 25c. .	2.11
80 Worth Bowen, 2 hrs. turning water at 50c ..	1.00
81 J. Cunningham, 2 hrs. turning water at 50c. .	1.00

Order No.	Amount
82 Russell Gay, 6 hrs. self and auto on thawing culverts and ditches .....	6.00
83 Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding taxes on orders Nos. 49, 53, 58, 62, 69 ....	.60
84 Lincoln Iron Works, repairs to V-plow and attachment parts and labor, \$245.40; repairs and labor, parts for truck plow \$47.59.....	292.99
85 Tuttle Pub. Co., printing ballots for all offices for town meeting .....	24.15
86 Jas. Gormley, building and lot purchased for town garage .....	425.00
87 H. G. Stone, $\frac{1}{2}$ yearly premium, compensation insurance, 1944 .....	50.50
88 J. Cunningham, 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ hrs. taking down snow fence .....	9.25
89 Russell Gay, 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ hrs. self and truck on snow fence at \$1.50 .....	24.75
90 Ed Bowen, 1 hr. on town sheds .....	.50
91 Russell Gay, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ hrs. self and truck on snow fence at \$1.50 .....	2.25
92 David Bushee, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ hrs. on snow fence at 50c..	.75
93 E. J. Leary, services and expenses, Feb. 5th to May 15th .....	9.45
94 Wilma Joslin, 3 hrs. cleaning house for Butler family to move into .....	1.50
95 J. Cunningham, 48 hrs. repairing garage at 60c, \$28.80, less 70c tax .....	28.10
96 Wm. Jameson, 48 hrs. repairing garage at 60c, 28.80, less \$3.10 tax .....	25.70
97 Russell Gay, 20 hrs. truck work at \$1.00, \$20; 24 hrs. truck drawing gravel, 3 yds. per load, at \$1.50, \$36, for town garage.....	56.00
98 Russell Gay, 48 hrs. on repairs to garage, at 60c, \$28.80, less 70c tax .....	28.10
99 Howard Bowen, 48 hrs. on repairs to garage at 60c, \$28.80, less \$1.90 tax .....	26.90
100 E. M. Bowen, 48 hrs. carpenter work on garage at 75c, \$36; less \$4.60 tax .....	31.40
101* Arthur Brophy, 4 hrs. fighting fire at 60c..	2.40
102* Walter Read, 4 hrs. fighting fire .....	2.40
103* Mrs. David Bushee, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire	2.40
104* David Bushee, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire ....	2.40
105* Carl Bowen, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire .....	2.40
106* Byron Bowen, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire ....	2.40
107* Howard Bowen, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire ....	2.40
108* J. Cunningham, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire....	2.40
109* Anna Ackert, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire .....	2.40
110* Elizabeth Martin, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire..	2.40

Order No.	Amount
111* Wm. Leary, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire .....	2.40
112* Russell Gay, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire .....	2.40
113* Tom Dunn, Jr., 4 hrs. fighting forest fire ...	2.40
114* Earle Bowen, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire .....	2.40
115* Robt. Brock, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire .....	2.40
116* F. V. Read, Jr., 4 hrs. fighting forest fire ....	2.40
117* F. V. Read, Sr., 4 hrs. fighting forest fire ....	2.40
118* Ed. Eggleston, 7 hrs. fighting forest fire ....	4.20
119* Doris Gay, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire .....	2.40
120* Geo. Benedict, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire ....	2.40
121* James Bebee, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire, \$2.40; use auto (fire warden) \$1.00 .....	3.40
122* Ed Bowen, 7 hrs. fighting forest fire .....	4.20
123 J. Cunningham, 40 hrs. on garage less 30c tax	23.70
124 Howard Bowen, 40 hrs. on garage, less 90c tax	23.10
125 Ed Bowen, 32 hrs. carpenter work on garage at 75c, less \$2.10 tax .....	21.90
126 Wm. Jameson, 32 hrs. on garage, less \$1.10 tax .....	18.10
127 Russell Gay, 32 hrs. on garage, less 30c tax..	18.90
128 Russell Gay, 40 hrs. truck drawing gravel for garage at \$1.50, \$60; 5 trips auto trans- porting men to and from work \$5 .....	65.00
129 Victor Brophy, 4 hrs. fighting forest fire ...	2.40
130 H. G. Stone, fire insurance on storage bldg...	10.06
131 H. G. Stone, 1 day fence viewer and expenses, Walker-Sheehan dispute .....	5.00
132 L. P. Buffum, 108 yds. gravel fill for garage	10.80
133 Anna Sherlock, services town clerk, April 1st to June 1st .....	121.73
134 H. G. Stone, listing and expenses for 1944..	80.00
135 A. W. Haley, 1 day revis. check list June 16	4.00
136 E. J. Leary, 1 day revis. check list June 16..	4.00
137 Railway Express Agency, express on repair part, fire pump .....	41.00
138 Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding taxes on orders Nos. 95, 96, 98, 99, 100, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, April, May, June	15.70
139 J. R. Swan, 1 day fence viewer, Walker-Shee- han dispute .....	4.00
140* State of Vermont Forest Service, 2 Smith Indian hand fire pumps at \$9.00 each.....	18.00
141* D. B. Smith & Co., 1 galv. tank for hand fire pump (repairs) .....	7.25
142 Green Peak Orchard, 13 hrs. plowing snow tractor plow at \$4.00, \$52; and man help- er, mounting and dismounting plow, and oil for plow, \$11.30 .....	63.30



Order No.	Amount
143 Lincoln Iron Works, 1 top blade for truck plow, \$11.00; 1 shoe for plow, \$9.35 ....	20.35
144 Solvay Sales Corp., 40 bags calcium chloride..	43.00
145 H. N. Williams Store, 2 bdls. wall paper, \$2.50; 1 bdl. \$1.35; 10 bdls. ceiling paper, \$2.00; 4 lbs. paste, 80c (Butler family)...	6.65
146 R. K. Miles, lumber, overhead track, nails, etc., for garage repairs .....	20.25
147 Louis Mason, 5 hrs. mowing roadside .....	3.00
148 Tuttle Pub. Co., 900 ballots for prim. election	14.68
149 Tuttle Stationery Co., 8 pads B. Certif, 1 Vital Statistic, 1 binder, 1 filler, 1 index for town clerk's office .....	62.50
150 Edw. Griffith, deed from M. Whalon .....	3.00
151 E. E. Goyette, repairing door and lock, town clerk's office .....	1.75
152 Purdy's Wire & Sheet Metal Works, 8 rolls roofing, 15 lbs. roof nails, 1 pail roof cement, 1 lock, for garage .....	26.50
153 Carlisle's Garage, welding and supplies for truck plow, \$15.90; repairs and supplies for thawer, \$11.00 .....	26.90
154 E. C. Crosby & Sons, 10 bags cement for garage .....	7.00
155 S. M. Sherlock, 25 stamped envelopes .....	.81
156 F. W. Benedict, Jr., 18 hrs. self and team mowing with machine at \$1.50 .....	27.00
157 Simon King, 45 hrs. mowing, less 70c tax ..	26.30
158 E. M. Bowen, 6 hrs. repair road mach. at 75c	4.50
159 A. W. Haley, 1 day revision check list, primary election .....	4.00
160 John Cunningham, 40 hrs. at 60c, less 30c tax	23.70
161 Howard Bowen, 40 hrs. driving truck on mowing job, at 60c, less 90c tax .....	23.10
162 Wm. Jameson, 40 hrs. mowing at 60c, less \$2.10 tax .....	21.90
163 Wm. Corey, 40 hrs. mowing, less \$2.10 tax..	21.90
164 Russell Gay, 12 hrs. mowing at 60c .....	7.20
165 Russell Gay, 26 hrs. truck on mowing job at \$1.00 (no tax, vehicle only) .....	26.00
166 Simon King, 40 hrs. mowing, less 30c tax..	23.70
167 E. J. Leary, 1 day revision check list at primary election .....	4.00
168 Howard Bowen, 25 hrs. bridge repairs \$15; 23 hrs. mowing \$13.80; total \$28.80, less \$1.90 tax .....	26.90
169 J. Cunningham, 16 hrs. labor bridge repairs \$9.60; 31 hrs. labor mowing at 60c; less 70c tax .....	27.50

Order No.		Amount
170	Wm. Jamieson, 6 hrs. on bridge repairs \$3.60; 35 hrs. mowing, \$21.00; total \$24.60, less \$2.10 tax .....	22.50
171	Wm. Corey, 47 hrs. mowing, less \$3.10 tax ..	25.10
172	Russell Gay, 17 hrs. on bridge repair \$10.20; 6 hrs mowing, \$3.60; \$13.80 less 5c tax..	13.75
173	Russell Gay, 21 hrs. truck on bridge repairs at \$1.00, \$21.00; 12 hrs truck on mowing job at \$1.00, 12.00; total \$33.00 (no tax, ve- hicle only) .....	33.00
174	E. M. Bowen, 12 hrs. carpenter work on bridge at 75c .....	9.00
175	Simon King, 47 hrs. mowing, less 70c tax...	27.50
176	A. W. Haley, 1 day revis. check list, Aug. 5	4.00
177	E. J. Leary, 1 day revis. check list, Aug. 5..	4.00
178	Anna Ackert, 1 day ballot clerk, prim. elec.	4.00
179	Mary Haley, 1 day clerk on check list, primary election .....	4.00
180	Arthur Brophy, 1 day on check list at primary election .....	4.00
181	John Cunningham, 20 hrs. bridge repairs ..	12.00
182	Howard Bowen, 20 hrs. bridge repairs .....	12.00
183	Russell Gay, 6 hrs. foreman bridge repairs..	3.60
184	Russell Gay, 16 hrs. truck on bridge repair job, drawing plank, etc., at \$1.00 (no tax, vehicle only .....	16.00
185	H. G. Stone, 3 days with authority, \$12.00; 1 day primary, \$4; up and down booths, \$2; 1 day fence viewer, \$4.....	22.00
186	L. C. Wideawake, 2,000 ft. plank, 3-in., 16 & 18 ft. long, for bridges .....	90.00
187	W. H. Beebe, 1 day tax abatement, \$4; 3 days check list, \$12; 1 day prim. elec. \$4 .....	20.00
188	E. J. Leary, 1 day check list, revis. gen. elec.	4.00
189	A. W. Haley, 1 day check list revis. gen. elec.	4.00
190	J. R. Swan, 1 day fence viewer, Walker- Mitchell dispute .....	4.00
191	Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding taxes on orders Nos. 157, 160, 161, 162, 163, 166, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 175, general account .....	14.95
192	Anna Sherlock, services and expenses from June 1 to Sept. 18, 1944 .....	271.78
193	Tuttle Pub. Co., printing 600 Rep. ballots, 600 justice, 100 A. V. ballots and list of nominations .....	25.78
194	F. O. Dutton, 2757 ft. plank for bridges at \$46.00 M. ....	126.82

Order No.	Amount
195 J. L. Sargent, trucking 2757 ft. plank from Wallingford .....	10.00
196 Tuttle Sta. Co., 1 Rm. Rockledge bond book 8½ x 13 in. ....	2.54
197 Arthur Brophy, 1 day, Lynn Walker Farm, dogs killing sheep investigation .....	4.00
198 J. R. Swan, 1 day, Lynn Walker Farm, dogs killing sheep investigation .....	4.00
199 E. J. Leary, 1 day, Lynn Walker Farm, dogs killing sheep investigation .....	4.00
200 F. F. Gilbert, Old Age consultant for yr. 1944	10.00
201 Russell Gay, 4 hrs. truck and self drawing salt from Manchester, at \$1.60 .....	6.40
202 John Cunningham, 4 hrs. drawing salt at 60c	2.40
203 Frank Benedict, 4 hrs. drawing salt at 60c..	2.40
204 John Cunningham, 24 hrs. putting up snow fence at 60c, less 7c tax .....	14.33
205 Burton Snow, 21½ hrs. putting up snow fence at 60c, less 3c tax .....	12.87
206 Frenk Benedict, 24 hrs. putting up snow fence at 60c, less 7c tax .....	14.33
207 Russell Gay, 16 hrs. putting up snow fence..	9.60
208 Russell Gay, 24 hrs. truck, work on snow fence job at \$1 (no tax, vehicle only) .....	24.00
209 John Cunningham, 20 hrs. putting up snow fence at 60c .....	12.00
210 Burton Snow, 20 hrs. driving truck on snow fence at 60c .....	12.00
211 Russell Gay, 16 hrs. on snow fence .....	9.60
212½ Russell Gay, 20 hrs. truck on snow fence at \$1.00 (no tax, vehicle only) .....	20.00
213 Frank Benedict, 12 hrs. putting up snow fence	7.20
214 A. W. Haley, 2 days revis. check list, gen. elec.	8.00
215 E. J. Leary, 2 days revis. check list, gen. elec.	8.00
216 J. Cunningham, 26 hrs. drawing salt and sand, less 20c tax .....	15.40
217 Frank Benedict, 24 hrs. drawing salt and sand, less 7c tax .....	14.33
218 Russell Gay, 30 hrs. drawing salt and sand, less 20c tax .....	17.80
219 Russell Gay, 30 hrs. truck drawing salt and sand at \$1.50 per 3-yd. truck hr. (no tax, vehicle only) .....	45.00
220 H. G. Stone, 3 days with authority, \$12; 1 day elec. \$4; 1 day counting votes, \$4; pick up vote \$1; up and down voting booths \$2..	23.00
221 C. A. Bond, repairing truck plow, bolts, nuts and labor .....	3.20



Order No.		Amount
222	J. R. Swan, 1 day asst. clerk at gen. election	4.00
223	J. Cunningham, 38½ hrs. on sand for winter maint., \$23.10, less 30c tax .....	22.80
224	Burton Snow, 37 hrs. on sand for winter maint., \$22.20, less 30c tax .....	21.90
225	Frank Benedict, 42½ hrs. on sand for winter maint., \$25.50, less 70c tax .....	24.80
226	Russell Gay, 26½ hrs. foreman drawing sand for winter maint, \$15.90, less 20c tax....	15.70
227	Russell Gay, 42½ hrs. truck drawing sand for winter maint., at \$1.50 per 3 yd. truck hr. (no tax, vehicle only) .....	63.75
228	Martha Powers, 123 yds. sand at 15c per yd., for winter .....	18.45
229	Anna Ackert, 1 day ballot clerk, gen. election	4.00
230	Arthur Brophy, 1 day ballot clerk, general election .....	4.00
231	J. H. Bebes, 1 day asst. clerk, gen. election ..	4.00
232	Frank Benedict, 7 hrs. winter maintenance..	4.20
233	Burton Snow, 6½ hrs. winter maintenance....	3.90
234	Worth Bowen, 18½ hrs. winter maintenance, less 10c tax .....	10.70
235‡	Ed. Bowen, 4 hrs. carpenter work on garage	3.00
236	Arthur Steere, 22 hrs. on winter maintenance, driving plow, sanding, repairing, at 60c, \$13.20, less 4c tax .....	13.16
237	Russell Gay, 16½ hrs. truck plowing snow at \$2.15, \$35.48 (vehicle only); 6 hrs. truck sanding at \$1.50 per 3 yd. truck hour, \$9.00 (vehicle only); 22½ hrs. on winter maint. at 60c, \$13.50; less 5c tax on labor .....	57.93
238	L. A. Wade, cleaning hall after gen. elec., \$1; building 2 fires town clerk's office, \$1....	2.00
239‡	W. H. Beebe, 2 days check list, \$8; 1 day elec. \$4; 1 day counting ballots \$4 .....	16.00
240	H. G. Stone, insurance: town clerk's office, \$10.20; Lillie house, \$2.40 .....	12.60
241	Anna A. Sharlock, services Sept. 18 to Dec. 10	104.27
242	H. G. Stone, painting town clerk's office and wood shed .....	31.75
243	J. Cunningham, 4 hrs. sanding, winter maint.	2.40
244‡	Worth Bowen, 5 hrs. snow plow repairs, 7½ hrs. helper on plow, 4 hrs. sanding; total 16½ hrs. at 60c .....	9.90
245‡	Russell Gay, 5 hrs. repairing plow at 60c, \$3; 7½ hrs. self and truck plowing snow at \$2.75, \$20.63; 4 hrs. self and truck sanding at \$2.10 per 3 yd. truck hr., \$8.40 (no tax) .....	32.03

Order No.	Amount
246‡ A. W. Halëy, 1 day abatement taxes, meeting Dec. 27 .....	4.00
247‡ E. J. Leary, 1 day abatement taxes, meeting Dec. 27 .....	4.00
248‡ Frank Benedict, 4 hrs. winter maintenance..	2.40
249‡ Worth Bowen, 27½ hrs. winter maintenance, \$16.50, less \$1.10 tax .....	15.40
250‡ Burton Snow, 2½ hrs. winter maintenance..	1.50
251‡ Victor Brophy, Jr., 4 hrs. winter maintenance	2.40
252‡ Harry Kristiansen, 4 hrs. winter maintenance	2.40
253‡ Russell Gay, 23 hrs. self and truck plowing snow at \$2.75, \$63.25; 8½ hrs. self and truck sanding at \$2.10 per 3 yd. truck hr., \$17.85; total \$81.10, less tax on labor 20c (no tax on vehicle hours) .....	80.90
254‡ Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding taxes on orders Nos. 204, 205, 206, 216, 217, 218, 223, 224, 225, 226, 234, 236, 237, 249, 253 .....	3.63

Total .....\$ 5,361.03

\*All orders so marked, the State of Vermont, will refund one-half the amount back to the town.

‡Outstanding orders 1944 report: No. 212, \$20.00; No. 235, \$3.00; No. 239, \$16.00; No. 244, \$9.90; No. 245, \$32.03; No. 246, \$4.00; No. 247, \$4.00; No. 248, \$2.40; No. 249, \$15.40; No. 250, \$1.50; No. 251, \$2.40; No. 252, \$2.40; No. 253, \$80.90; No. 254, \$3.63; total \$197.56.

Orders listed as liabilities in 1943 report have been paid by the treasurer: No. 15, \$2.20; No. 138, \$3.00; No. 140, \$2.75; No. 142, \$1.00; No. 143, \$11.25; No. 144, \$3.39; No. 145, 80c; total, \$24.39.

Orders outstanding: Harwood, No. 75, \$5.00; 1934, No. 332, \$1.00; 1935 report, No. 277, \$10.00; 1936 report, No. 88, \$1.35; 1937 report, No. 149, \$5.40; total, \$22.75.

## Paul E. White, Selectman (West Side)

### General Account

1 Rob't. Kinnie, 19 hrs. plowing, \$47.50; 2 hrs. labor, \$1; 14 hrs. truck sanding \$21.00...	69.50
2 Harry Sheldon, labor & snow 23 hrs., \$11.50; 4 hrs. truck sanding, \$6; 8 hrs. hauling sand, \$16.00 .....	33.50
3 Joe Kinnie, 28½ hrs. sanding and plowing..	14.50
4 John Davis, 14 hrs. sanding .....	7.00
5 Tuck Nichols, 14 hrs. sanding .....	7.00
6 Kenneth Nichols, 13 hrs. snow .....	6.50

Order No.	Amount
7 Tuck Nichols, 34 hrs. tractor plow .....	17.00
8 Bill Nichols, 11½ hrs. snow .....	5.75
9 M. J. McDevitt, 8 hrs. shoveling snow .....	4.00
10 Manchester Prtg. Co., 500 envelopes and post.	3.87
11 B. D. Phillips, abatement meeting .....	4.00
12 B. D. Phillips, taxes on Philip Bull property..	72.29
13 Rob't. Kinnie, 2 hrs. plowing, 2 hrs. sanding	8.50
14 Joe Kinnie, 2 hrs. sanding .....	1.00
15 Harry Sheldon, 4 hrs. sanding .....	2.00
16 Tuck Nichols, 12 hrs. tractor .....	6.00
17 Paul E. White, gas and oil tractor, express on plow blades, abatement meeting .....	12.29
18 Mike Kelleher, gas and oil for tractor .....	6.84
19 Rob't. Kinnie, 15 hrs. drawing, \$30, 8 hrs. truck .....	42.00
20 Harry Sheldon, haul 3 yds. sand 15 hrs., \$30; labor 8 hrs., \$4 .....	34.00
21 John Davis, 23 hrs. labor .....	11.50
22 Tuck Nichols, 19 hrs. sanding .....	9.50
23 Bill Nichols, 7 hrs. sanding .....	3.50
24 Earl Fisher, 42 yds. sand, \$10.50; 57 yds. sand \$5.70 .....	16.20
25 Tuck Nichols, 28 hrs. plowing at 60c .....	16.80
26 Bill Nichols, 11½ hrs. labor plowing .....	5.75
27 Kenneth Nichols, 6 hrs. plowing .....	3.00
25a Rob't. Kinnie, 17 hrs. plowing snow at \$2.75 per hr. ....	46.75
26a Rob't Kinnie, plowing 2 hrs. \$5.50; truck sand 10 hrs., \$15; labor sanding 5 hrs, \$2.50 ..	23.00
27a Harry Sheldon, truck sanding 9½ hrs. \$14.25; labor sand and snow 27 hrs., \$13.50; truck sanding, \$3.00 .....	30.75
28 John Davis, 17½ hrs. sanding .....	8.75
29 Joe Kinnie, 4½ hrs. sanding .....	2.25
30 Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax, Nov. and Dec. ....	1.30
31 Void.	
32 P. M. Peltier, 2 days authority, \$8; car, \$2; phone and stamps, \$2.67 .....	13.45
33 Rob't. Kinnie, 5 hrs. plowing .....	13.75
34 Tuck Nichols, 40 hrs. plowing .....	23.70
35 Rob't. Kinnie, 5½ hrs. plowing .....	23.38
36 Harry Sheldon, 13½ hrs. help plow .....	6.75
37 Rob't. Kinnie, 5 hrs. plowing .....	13.75
38 Tuck Nichols, 38 hrs. tractor plowing 2 wks.	22.80
39 Rob't. Kinnie, plowing 29½ hrs., \$81.13; 20 hrs., \$30 .....	110.83



Order No.	Amount
40 Harry Sheldon, 2 hrs. sanding .....	1.00
41 Joe Kinnie, 2 hrs. sanding .....	1.00
42 John Davis, 46½ hrs. labor .....	22.15
43 Paul White, gas and oil, tractor, \$8.72; 2 trips E. Dorset \$5 .....	13.72
44 Tuck Nichols, 33 hrs. tractor, \$19.80; 11 help, \$5.50 .....	25.30
45 Harrington Bros., express on tractor parts and tax .....	2.42
46 Rob't. Kinnie, 7 hrs. snow, \$19.25; 11 hrs. sanding, \$16.50; 13½ hrs. drawing, \$27.00 .....	62.75
47 Harry Sheldon, 13½ hrs. drawing, \$27; 7 hrs. truck sand, \$10.50; 2 hrs. labor, \$1.00 ....	38.50
48 Tuck Nichols, 20½ hrs. sanding .....	10.25
49 Kenneth Nichols, 13½ hrs. labor .....	6.75
49a Mrs. John Nichols, plowing Nichols hill 1 yr.	46.00
50 H. N. Williams Store, oil for tractor .....	9.99
51 Rob't. Kinnie, 27½ hrs. sand, \$41.25; 3 hrs. moving chloride, \$4.50; 9 hrs. hauling sand, \$18.00 .....	63.45
52 Harry Sheldon, 11 hrs. sand, \$5.50; truck sand, \$4.50; sanding 6 hrs., \$9; hauling sand, \$18; labor snow, 7 hrs. ....	40.20
53 Joe Kinnie, 7 hrs. labor sand .....	3.50
54 John Davis, 25 hrs. sanding .....	12.50
55 Tuck Nichols, 27½ hrs. sand, \$13.75; 3 hrs. tractor, \$1.80 .....	15.25
56 Chester Baldwin, 12 hrs. snow .....	6.00
57 Paul White, gas, \$4.98; 2 check list meetings, \$8; car, \$2; town meeting, \$4 .....	18.68
58 Tuttle Stationery Co., 4 selectmen order books .....	3.00
59 Mike Kelleher, gas and oil, tractor .....	9.55
60 John Kelley, 2 check list meetings, \$8; town meeting 1 day \$4 .....	12.00
61 Rob't. Kinnie, 21 hrs. sand, \$31.56; 12½ hrs. plowing, \$34.37 .....	65.57
62 John Davis, 30 hrs. sanding, and culverts ..	13.90
63 Harry Sheldon, truck 24 hrs., \$6; 21 hrs. labor, \$20.50 .....	26.20
64 P. M. Peltier, stamps, \$1.80; labor, 72c; notary fee, \$1; 2 board meetings, \$8; trip to Manchester, \$2 .....	13.53
65 Manchester Printing Co., town reports .....	149.60
66 Tuck Nichols, 38 hrs. plowing .....	22.80
67 Nora Gilbert, 1 day clerk town meeting ....	4.00
68 Rob't. Kinnie, 10 hrs. truck, open ditches ....	15.00
69 John Adams Browne Corp., discount on note	155.62

Order No.	Amount
70 Peltier & Tift, gas and oil for tractor .....	16.85
71 B. D. Phillips, Elmer Coe tax .....	778.73
72 Paul White, 24 gals. gas, \$5.04; creamery, \$3; car and labor, \$4 .....	12.48
73 Rob't. Kinnie, 5 hrs. plowing, \$13.75; 27 hrs. sand, \$40.50; 7½ hrs. labor, ditches; total \$58 (paid 10 hrs. on order 68, \$15.00) bal.	42.70
74 Harry Sheldon, 3 hrs. truck, \$4.50; 45½ hrs. labor, \$22.75 .....	26.95
75 John Davis, 52½ hrs. labor .....	25.15
76 Archie Hazelton, 6 hrs. washout .....	3.00
77 Tuck Nichols, 3 hrs. ditches .....	1.50
78 No order.	
79 No order.	
80 Isaac DeKalb, creamery ice house .....	100.00
81 Rob't. Kinnie, 7 hrs. plow, \$19.25; 36 hrs. truck, \$54 .....	72.95
82 Monty Tift, 12 hrs. ditches .....	6.00
83 Harry Sheldon, 2 hrs. snow, \$1; 3 hrs. truck, \$34.50; labor, 24 hrs., \$12.00 .....	47.20
84 John Davis, 48 hrs. labor .....	22.90
85 Harry Miller, 20 hrs. labor ditches .....	10.00
86 Joe Kinnie, 4 hrs. ditches .....	2.00
87 Mrs. Wilma Campney, 42 yds. sand .....	14.20
88 Isaac DeKalb, taking down ice house & garage	30.00
89 State of Vermont, State Highway Patrol ....	445.40
90 H. N. Williams Store, oil tractor, road supplies	8.37
91 Rob't. Kinnie, 23 hrs. truck back road, \$34.50; 5 hrs. haul lumber, \$7.50; 4 hrs. labor, \$2 .....	43.70
92 Harry Sheldon, 22½ hrs. back road, \$33.75; 5 hrs. truck lumber, \$7.50; 4 hrs. labor culvert, \$2 .....	42.95
93 John Davis, 5 hrs. labor back road .....	18.40
94 Harry Miller, labor back road, \$17; moving lumber, \$2.50 .....	19.20
95 Tuck Nichols, 18 hrs. labor tractor .....	10.80
96 Rob't Kinnie, 20 hrs. truck, \$30; culvert 50c; 1 hr. truck, \$1.50 .....	32.00
97 Harry Sheldon, 20 hrs. truck, \$30; 2 hrs. labor, \$1 .....	30.70
98 Harry Miller, 20 hrs. labor washout .....	9.70
99 John Davis, 20 hrs. labor washout .....	8.90
100 Dave Wyman, 16 hrs. labor washout .....	8.00
101b Harry Sheldon, bridge stringer, 6 hrs. labor, 2 hrs. truck .....	6.00
101a Ike Harrington, 5½ hrs. ditches .....	2.75

Order No.	Amount
103 Rob't. Kinnie, 8 hrs. labor stringers .....	4.00
104 Rob't. Kinnie, 8 hrs. truck snow fence .....	8.00
105 Harry Sheldon, 8 hrs. labor, 6½ hrs. truck snow fence .....	13.75
106 John Davis, 14½ hrs. snow fence .....	7.25
107 James Gormley, bal. Gormley's garage & land	125.00
108 H. G. Stone, ½ yr. prem. on Comp. Ins. ....	50.50
109 Collector Int. Rev., withholding tax .....	7.70
110 Rufe Lake, 7 hrs. draw bridge stringers....	8.75
111 Chas. Roberts, 6 bridge stringers at \$5 .....	30.00
112 Owen Burke, 160 yds. gravel at 10c per yd...	16.00
113 Treas. County of Bennington, county tax ....	522.99
114 P. M. Peltier, tax cards .....	5.00
115 Rob't. Kinnie, frt. on road blades .....	2.08
116 Manchester Printing Co., tax books & postage on 500 postals .....	17.78
117 Eagle Rock Wool Co., insulation for school building .....	345.00
118 P. M. Peltier, tax postals .....	3.50
119 Clyde McWayne, town meeting .....	4.00
120 E. H. West, 1943 auditing town books .....	25.00
121 John Davis, 1 day chloride, \$6.40; cutting brush, \$21.60 .....	25.90
122 Rob't. Kinnie, 9 hrs. trk. \$13.50; labor \$16.20	29.40
123 Harry Sheldon, 9 hrs. truck, \$13.50; 3 days labor, \$16.20 .....	29.40
124 Henry McWayne, 4 days cutting brush .....	20.50
125 P. M. Peltier, ½ yr. salary, \$25; 1% poll tax coll., \$13.94; copying 74 names and post- age, \$7.12 .....	46.06
126 Dr. C. M. Campbell, 20 births, 13 deaths ....	8.25
127 Dr. F. C. Liddle, 8 deaths .....	2.00
128 Dr. J. H. Miller, 1 birth .....	.25
129 Dr. A. C. Pratt, 4 births, 3 deaths .....	1.75
130* Carlisle's Garage, road plow repairs .....	9.85
131 Rob't Kinnie, 18 hrs. cutting brush .....	10.80
132 John Davis, 18 hrs. cutting brush .....	10.80
133 Harry Sheldon, 18 hrs. cutting brush .....	10.80
134 Henry McWayne, 18 hrs. cutting brush .....	10.80
135 Cecil Taft, 18 hrs. cutting brush .....	10.80
136 Col. of Int. Rev., withholding tax .....	3.70
137 Rutland Road Machinery Co., scraper blades.	61.60
138 Manchester Prtg. Co., postage and tax cards	7.73
139 John Davis, 36 hrs. road and bridges .....	20.50
140 Cecil Taft, 32 hrs. road and bridges .....	18.10
141 Henry McWayne, 15 hrs. road .....	9.00



Order No.	Amount
142 Harry Sheldon, 4 hrs. truck chloride, 10 hrs. labor .....	11.00
143 Rob't. Kinnie, 8 hrs. truck chloride, 12 hrs. labor .....	19.20
144 Rufus Lake, team hauling bridge stringers..	10.00
145 Mildred Marshall, interest on No. Dorset cemetery fund .....	4.00
146 Peltier & Tift, road supplies .....	11.49
147 Paul White, 2 check list mtgs., \$8; 1 trip to E. Dorset, \$2.50; tractor supplies .....	19.45
148 Clifton Kent, 2 days town mtg. counting ballots	8.00
149 B. D. Phillips, 3 days services at election ....	12.00
150 Harry Sheldon, 26 hrs. labor, \$15.60; truck 10 hrs., \$15 .....	30.60
151 Rob't. Kinnie, truck 18 hrs. ....	27.00
152 Henry McWayne, 26 hrs. labor bridges .....	15.60
153 John Davis, 21 hrs. labor bridges .....	12.60
154 Cecil Taft, 21 hrs. labor bridges .....	12.60
155 Alva Taft, 21 hrs. labor bridges .....	12.60
156 Harry Miller, 21 hrs. labor bridges .....	12.60
157 John Kelly, 2 days check list; 2 days election	16.00
158 Clyde McWayne, 1 day primary .....	4.00
159 Dorset Memorial Library, as per vote at March meeting .....	200.00
160 R. Weinberg, 2 tons chloride, \$55; 1 bush hook, \$2.25 .....	57.25
161 Wm. P. McWayne, 5 days authority .....	19.00
162 John J. McBride Post, American Legion, for Memorial Day .....	100.00
163 Nora Gilbert, 1 day election .....	4.00
164 H. N. Williams Store, road and bridge supplies	23.57
165 R. K. Miles, Inc., lumber for bridges .....	12.48
166 Smith Lumber Co., bridge plank and delivering .....	228.32
167 Geo. L. Markey, safe insurance .....	22.00
168 Linwood Giffin, 1 day ballot clerk .....	4.00
169 State of Vermont, State Highway tax .....	2,091.97
170 M. F. Kelly, services as selectman, 1943 ....	50.00
171 Cecil Taft, 16 hrs. cutting brush .....	9.60
172 Harry Sheldon, 8 hrs. cutting brush .....	4.80
173 Simon King, 17 hrs. cutting brush .....	10.20
174 Treas. of Farm Bureau, Bennington Co. tax..	210.55
175 Manchester Printing Co., envelopes .....	5.50
176 P. M. Peltier, 1% commission on taxes .....	315.01
177 P. M. Peltier, stamps, stationery, copy 63 names, 1 day board meeting .....	13.98

Order No.	Amount
178 State of Vt., Old Age tax .....	1,071.00
179 Collector of Int. Rev., withholding tax .....	5.00
180 Paul White, gas and supplies for tractor, phone, 2 board meetings, road services....	20.19
181 Wm. Lanfear, 8 hrs. cutting brush .....	4.80
182 C. P. Kent, 2 days election, trip to E. Dorset for ballots .....	10.00
183 B. D. Phillips, 3 days election, setting up booths and taking down .....	12.00
184 Linwood Giffin, 1 day ballot clerk .....	4.00
185 Rob't. Kinnie, 12½ hrs. labor tractor .....	9.37
186 Harry Sheldon, 12½ hrs. labor tractor .....	9.37
187 Rob't. Kinnie, 6 hrs. truck, \$9; labor plow, \$1.50 .....	10.30
188 Harry Sheldon, 7 hrs. draw. salt, \$10.50; 16 hrs. snow fence, \$24 .....	34.50
189 John Davis, 7 hrs. salt, 14½ hrs. snow fence..	12.60
190 Alva Taft, 19 hrs. snow fence .....	11.40
191 Cecil Taft, 19 hrs. snow fence .....	11.40
192 John Kelly, 5 days board meetings, and elec.	20.00
193 Bill Nichols, 19 hrs. labor on tractor .....	11.60
194 Tuck Nichols, 21 hrs. labor on tractor .....	15.75
195 Harry Sheldon, 15½ hrs. on snow plow .....	9.30
196 Rob't. Kinnie, 15½ hrs. truck plowing snow ..	38.75
197 Wm. P. McWayne, 5 days bd. mtgs., and elec.	20.00
198 Bill Nichols, 14½ hrs. on snow plow .....	8.70
199 Wm. P. McWayne, services as lister .....	81.00
200 Nora Gilbert, 1 day election clerk .....	4.00
201 Tuck Nichols, 32½ hrs. tractor plowing ....	24.37
202* Alva Taft, 12 hrs. labor .....	7.20
203 Harry Sheldon, 16 hrs. truck, \$24; 4 hrs. labor \$2.40 .....	26.40
204 Mike Hanlon, 20 hrs. sanding .....	12.00
205 Rob't. Kinnie, 18½ hrs. sand, \$27.50; 1½ hrs. plowing .....	31.50
206 The Chemical Corp., 12 tons salt .....	112.80
207 Rutland Road Machinery Co., blades for plow and tractor .....	53.52
208 John Adams Browne, Corp., 1 year's interest on current note .....	267.09
209 Rob't. Kinnie, 15½ hrs. plowing, \$38.25; 20 hrs. draw. sand, \$30; repairs on tractor, \$1	69.25
210 Harry Sheldon, 28 hrs. hauling sand .....	42.00
210a Bill Nichols, drawing sand 28 hrs. ....	15.70
211 Mike Hanlon, 24 hrs. sanding .....	13.30
212 Tuck Nichols, 30 hrs. sanding .....	17.70

Order No.	Amount
213* Alva Taft, 4 hrs. sanding.. .. .	2.40
214 P. M. Peltier, 1 day authority, Man. and E. Dorset, \$1.00; postage, \$2.09 .....	9.09
215 P. M. Peltier, bal. of treasurer's salary ....	25.00
216 Rob't. Kinnie, 4 hrs. truck, \$6; 4 hrs. labor, \$2.40 .....	8.40
219 Harry Sheldon, 3 hrs. truck sand, 8 hrs. labor, \$4.80 .....	9.30
220 Tuck Nichols, 4 hrs. labor .....	2.40
221 Bill Nichols, 11 hrs. labor .....	6.60
222 Dave Wyman, 3 hrs. labor .....	1.80
223 Rob't. Kinnie, 26 hrs. plowing snow, \$65; 5 hrs. sand, \$7.50 .....	72.50
224 Harry Sheldon, 14 hrs. snow, \$8.40; 7 hrs. truck sand, \$10.50 .....	18.90
225 Gordon Kinnie, 7 hrs. sanding .....	4.20
226 Kenneth Nichols, 5 hrs. sanding .....	3.00
227 Tuck Nichols, 30 hrs. plowing, \$22.50; 5 hrs. sand, \$3.00 .....	25.20
228 Bill Nichols, 34 hrs. sanding & help on tractor	19.30
229* Edward Griffith, legal services .....	35.00
230* Clyde M. Combs, parts for tractor .....	157.35
231* Collector of Int. Rev., withholding tax .....	3.90
1a James Fisher, 14 hrs. on town shed land....	8.40
2a Francis Sheldon, 14 hrs. on town shed land..	8.40
3a Harold Snow, 14 hrs. on town shed land ....	8.40
4a Rufus Gilbert, 14 hrs. on town shed land....	8.40

Total .....\$11,286.22

\*Outstanding orders, 1944 Report: No. 130, \$9.85; No. 202, \$7.20; No. 213, 2.40; No. 229, \$35.00; No. 230, \$157.35; No. 231, \$3.90; total \$215.35. No. 118, 1941 Report, \$15.00, total \$230.70.

Orders listed as liabilities in 1943 Report, paid by treasurer: No. 152, \$2; No. 157, \$2.20; No. 158, \$13.50; No. 162, \$4.50; No. 163, \$1.19; No. 164, \$15.04; total \$38.43.

## SUMMARY OF SELECTMEN'S ORDERS

Account	Leary	White	Stannard	Totals
Town Off. pay & town elections	\$8,354.49	\$ 784.80	\$ 157.48	\$ 1,177.77
Prim. & general elections	150.00		48.00	198.00
Winter maint.	1,398.78	2,012.95		3,411.73
Printing, books, post. & phone	141.80	252.98	7.50	402.28
Road supplies and repairs	518.21	377.65		895.86
Legal retainer and fees	53.00	36.00		89.00
Cemetery Int.	108.00			108.00
Off. bonds, Ins. & compensation	175.66	72.50		248.16
Buying town sheds, moving & rep.	1,020.25	503.60		1,523.85
Withholding taxes	34.88	21.60		56.48
Fire equip. & fighting forest fires	85.05			85.05
Chloride & salt	54.20	182.50		236.70
H'ways: mowing & repairs	321.45	137.60	5.00	464.05
Bridges & culverts	338.02	400.80		738.82
Old Age adm. & tax	10.00	1,071.00		1,081.00
Painting town clk's. office & shed	31.75			31.75
Miscellaneous	84.49	130.00		214.49
State Aid roads	514.60			514.60
State back roads	1,351.65			1,351.65
Sheep damage			136.00	136.00
Storm sash & rep. material Dorset Vil. school			234.41	234.41
Loans repaid			15,000.00	15,000.00
Interest paid		426.71		426.71
Farm Bureau		210.55		210.55
County tax		522.99		522.99
Health officer		12.25		12.25
Memorial Day		100.00		100.00
Library		200.00		200.00
State highway tax		2,091.97		2,091.97
State patrol		445.40		445.40
Highway		441.35		441.35
Other taxes		851.02		851.02
Total	\$7,227.28	\$11,286.22	\$15,588.39	\$34,101.89



## ROAD COMMISSIONERS' REPORT

### Russell Gay, Road Commissioner, East Side

#### Summary of All Items

##### Town Road Funds, 1944

Russell Gay, truck and labor .....	\$ 834.77
John Cunningham, labor .....	310.32
Howard Bowen, labor .....	194.90
William Jameson, labor .....	126.90
William Corey, labor .....	91.33
Burton Snow, labor .....	40.60
Frank Benedict, labor .....	40.40
Simon King, labor .....	23.70
Worth Bowen, labor .....	18.15
David Bushee, labor .....	6.30
Anthony Haley, labor .....	11.38
Paul Connors, truck and labor .....	28.00
Israel Greenberg, gravel .....	10.50
Louis Buffum, gravel .....	2.40
Richardson Gravel Co., gravel .....	7.20
Campney Gravel Co., gravel .....	2.70
Town Manchester, power grader .....	96.80
State of Vt., sand, pea stone, cold patch .....	22.50
Collector Internal Revenue, withholding taxes ....	36.73

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Expended .....	\$ 1,905.58
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Amount allowed .....	1,931.63
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Unexpended .....	\$ 26.05
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Outstanding orders 1944 Report: No. 39, \$28.70; No. 55, \$28.10; No. 73, \$28.10; No. 89, \$2.47; total \$87.37.

1941 Report unpaid order No. 6, \$11.00.

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### Robert Kinnie, Road Commissioner, West Side

#### Summary of All Items

##### Town Road Funds, 1944

Rob't. Kinnie, truck and labor .....	\$ 677.58
Harry Sheldon, truck and labor .....	389.05
John Davis, labor .....	264.28

Harry Miller, labor .....	104.60
Dave Wyman, labor .....	19.90
Owen Burke, gravel .....	51.60
J. Matson, labor .....	2.80
George Matson, labor .....	60.00
Mike Hanlon, labor .....	79.80
Robert Hopkins, dynamite and caps .....	9.25
Henry McWayne, labor .....	69.40
Cecil Taft, labor .....	116.00
Alva Taft, labor .....	65.70
Frank Tarbell, Jr., labor .....	21.00
Simon King, labor .....	16.20
Collector of Internal Revenue, tax .....	32.50
Walter Allen, labor .....	5.04

Total .....\$ 1,984.70

Amount allowed ..... 1,931.60

Over expended .....\$ 53.10

1941 Report unpaid order No. 310, \$6.67, prior Road Commissioner Jones. Outstanding 1934 Report, Chas. Phillips, \$2.50.

### State Aid Road, 1944

Order No.	Amount
1 Rob't. Kinnie, 36 hrs. truck and man hauling gravel .....	\$ 54.00
2 John Davis, 54 hrs. labor .....	27.80
3 Henry McWayne, 54 hrs. labor .....	27.80
4 Harry Miller, 54 hrs. labor .....	32.10
5 Harry Sheldon, 45 hrs. truck & man, hauling gravel .....	67.20
6 Alva Taft, 54 hrs. labor .....	27.80
7 Cecil Taft, 54 hrs. labor .....	27.80
8 Rob't. Kinnie, 18 hrs. truck and man .....	26.70
9 Rob't. Kinnie, 27 hrs. truck and man hauling gravel .....	40.20
10 Harry Sheldon, 18 hrs. truck and man hauling gravel .....	27.00
11 John Davis, 27 hrs. labor .....	15.10
12 Cecil Taft, 18 hrs. labor .....	9.70
13 Alva Taft, 18 hrs. labor .....	9.70
14 Harry Miller, 27 hrs. labor .....	16.00
15 Owen Burke, 256 yds. gravel, West road .....	25.60
16 Collector of Int. Rev., withholding tax .....	21.80
	<hr/> \$ 456.30

Order No.	Amount
1 John Davis, 37 hrs. labor .....	\$ 17.40
2 Charles Nichols, 37 hrs. labor .....	18.20
3 Joe Kinnie, 37 hrs. labor .....	17.40
4 Harry Sheldon, 37 hrs. truck and man .....	73.70
4b Rob't. Kinnie, 37 hrs. truck and man .....	73.70
6 Rob't. Kinnie, 8 hrs. truck and man .....	16.00
7 Harry Sheldon, 8 hrs. truck and man .....	16.00
8 Joe Kinnie, 8 hrs. labor .....	4.00
9 John Davis, 8 hrs. labor .....	4.00
10 Chas. Nichols, 8 hrs. labor .....	4.00
11 Owen Burke, 105 yds. gravel at 10c per yd...	10.50
*12 Collector of Int. Rev., withholding tax .....	3.10
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	\$ 714.30

\*Outstanding order 1944 Report, No. 12, \$3.10; total \$3.10.

### State Back Road

1 Rob't. Kinnie, 49 hrs. truck and man hauling gravel .....	\$ 73.10
2 Harry Sheldon, 13 hrs. labor, 41 hrs. truck...	69.00
3 Harry Miller, 54 hrs. labor .....	32.10
4 John Davis, 54 hrs. labor .....	27.80
5 No order.	
6 Cecil Taft, 54 hrs. labor .....	27.80
7 Alva Taft, 54 hrs. labor .....	27.80
8 Frank Tarbell, Jr., 50 hrs. labor .....	29.70
9 Harry Sheldon, 14 hrs. truck and man hauling gravel .....	20.70
10 Cecil Taft, 9 hrs. labor .....	5.40
11 Alva Taft, 9 hrs. labor .....	5.40
12 Frank Tarbell, Jr., 9 hrs. labor .....	5.40
13 Harry Miller, 9 hrs. labor .....	5.40
14 John Davis, 9 hrs. labor .....	5.40
15 Simon King, 9 hrs. labor .....	5.40
16 Rob't. Kinnie, 9 hrs. truck and man .....	21.60
17 Rob't. Kinnie, 27 hrs. truck & man, Dorset Mt.	40.20
18 John Davis, 27 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	15.10
19 Cecil Taft, 27 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	15.10
20 Alva Taft, 27 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	15.10
21 Harry Miller, 27 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	15.90
22 Simon King, 27 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	15.90
23 Frank Tarbell, Jr., 27 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 ..	13.20
24 Harry Sheldon, 11 hrs. truck and man .....	16.50
25 Rob't. Kinnie, 36 hrs. truck & man, Job No. 2	53.70
26 John Davis, 36 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	20.50
27 Cecil Taft, 36 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	20.50

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## PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1945

At a meeting held in Dorset, February 7th, the Budget Committee, together with a number of interested voters, discussed each item of the following budget and its attendant tax rate and submit it for your consideration.

### Disbursements

SELECTMEN—	Actual Cost 1944	Allowed 1945
Town Officers .....	\$ 1,525.77	\$ 1,350.00
Winter Maintenance .....	3,411.73	3,000.00
Postage and Printing .....	402.28	375.00
Bridges and Culverts .....	738.82	250.00
Highways and Cutting Brush ....	905.40	1,000.00
Memorial Day .....	100.00	100.00
Chloride and Salt .....	236.70	250.00
Road Supplies and Repairs ....	895.86	800.00
Legal Services .....	89.00	75.00
Interest .....	534.71	550.00
Forest Fires .....	85.05	50.00
State Highway Tax .....	2,091.97	2,100.00
Health Officer .....	12.25	100.00
Old Age Administration .....	10.00	10.00
Officials' Bonds, Ins., Comp. ....	248.16	245.00
Buildings bought and repaired, (Garage) .....	1,178.85	650.00
Miscellaneous .....	214.49	346.00
Library .....	200.00	200.00
County Tax .....	522.99	500.00
Farm Bureau .....	210.55	220.00
East Dorset Fire Co. ....	.....	200.00

Selectmen's Department Total..	\$13,614.58	\$12,371.00
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OVERSEER—	Actual Cost 1944	Allowed 1945
	\$4,792.57	\$4,309.10

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT—	Actual Cost 1944	Allowed 1945
Teachers .....	\$ 6,802.40	\$ 7,600.00
Supervision .....	615.46	650.00
High School Tuition .....	3,694.72	4,500.00
Instructional Supplies .....	257.25	225.00
Regular Texts .....	132.81	150.00

Supplementary books .....	55.98	25.00
Janitors and Cleaners .....	480.10	500.00
Janitors' Supplies .....	39.92	60.00
Fuel .....	597.11	700.00
Lights and Water .....	174.42	175.00
Repairs .....	2,099.38	500.00
Transportation .....	1,033.40	1,000.00
Furniture and Equipment .....	34.27	25.00
Insurance .....	201.25	300.00
Directors .....	45.38	100.00
Census .....	10.80	10.00
Miscellaneous .....	39.87	25.00
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	\$16,314.52	\$16,545.00

ROAD COMMISSIONERS' DEPT.—	Actual Cost	Allowed
	1944	1945
	\$3,790.28	*\$4,309.10

\*From this figure must be taken patrol money.

### Anticipated Resources

Based on a Grand List of \$10,259.76. Must be adjusted to the Grand List, when the amount is determined.

	Town Tax	State Res.	Other Res.	Total
<b>\$1.18 Gen. Fund</b>	<b>\$12,106.51</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>	
Dog tax			300.00	
Liquor Lic.			50.00	12,456.51
.42 Overseer	4,309.10			4,309.10
<b>\$1.30 Schools</b>	<b>13,337.69</b>			
State Aid		2,700.00		
Glebe Rent			71.90	
Nat'l Forest			75.00	
1944 Balance			366.04	16,550.63
.42 Roads	4,309.10			4,309.10
.144 Discount	1,477.40			1,477.40
.036 Collector	369.35			369.35
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<b>\$3.50 Tax</b>	<b>\$35,909.15</b>	<b>\$2,700.00</b>	<b>\$862.94</b>	<b>\$39,473.09</b>
Discount Deducted .....				1,477.40
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Total Resources .....				\$37,994.69



Order No.	Amount
28 Harry Miller, 36 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	21.30
29 Simon King, 36 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	21.30
30 Alva Taft, 36 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	20.50
31 Harry Sheldon, 9 hrs. truck, man 4 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	15.60
32 Rob't. Kinnie, 36 hrs. truck & man, Job No. 2	53.70
33 Harry Sheldon, 34 hrs. truck & man 2 hrs., Job No. 2 .....	55.00
34 John Davis, 50 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	28.90
35 Cecil Taft, 50 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	28.90
36 Alva Taft, 50 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	28.90
37 Harry Miller, 18 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	10.80
38 Simon King, 50 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 ....	29.70
39 Owen Burke, 188 yds. gravel at 10c per yd ..	18.80
40 Collector of Int. Rev., withholding tax .....	28.10
41 Alva Taft, 21 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	12.60
42 Harry Miller, 6 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 .....	3.60
43 Rob't. Kinnie, 22 hrs. labor, Job No. 2 ....	13.20
44 Harry Sheldon, 23 hrs. truck & man, 2 hrs., Job No. 2 .....	35.70
45 Rob't Kinnie, 8 hrs. truck & man, Job No. 2	12.00
46 Rob't. Kinnie, 20 hrs. truck & man, Job No. 2	30.00
47 Harry Sheldon, 28 hrs. truck and man, Job No. 3 .....	42.00
48 John Davis, 12 hrs. labor, Job No. 3 .....	7.20
49 Harry Miller, 28 hrs. labor, Job No. 3 .....	16.80
50 Cecil Taft, 20 hrs. labor, Job No. 3 .....	12.00
51 Alva Taft, 28 hrs. labor, Job No. 3 .....	16.80
52 Owen Burke, 100 yds. gravel, Job No. 3 ....	10.00
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Total Spent .....	\$ 1,177.10
Total Allowed .....	1,351.65
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Unspent balance .....	\$ 174.55



## ROAD DEPARTMENT REPORT

For Town Roads the tax of 42c on the Grand List of \$10,259.76 provided a fund of \$4,309.10 from which is deducted State Patrol money of \$445.50. This left a fund of \$3,863.70 which, equally divided, gave each road commissioner \$1,931.63 for Town Roads.

Gay	Resources	Expended	Overrun	Unexp'd
Town roads .....	\$1,931.63	\$1,905.58	.....	\$ 26.05
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Total .....	\$1,931.85			\$ 26.27

### Leary

St. back roads .....	\$1,351.65	\$1,351.65	.....	.....
St. aid roads .....	550.50	514.60	.....	\$ 35.90

### Kinnie

Town roads .....	\$1,931.63	\$1,984.70	\$ 53.07	
*St. back roads .....	1,351.65	*1,177.10	.....	\$174.55
St. aid roads .....	714.30	714.30	.....	.....
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	\$7,831.80	\$7,647.93	\$ 53.07	\$236.94
Patrol money .....	445.40	445.40		
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	\$8,277.20	\$8,093.33		

\*Due from State.

## SCHOOL DIRECTORS' REPORT

Ernest Edgerton, School Director, West Side

Dec. 31, 1943, to Dec. 31, 1944

Order No.	Amount
50 Peltier & Tift, mdse. ....	\$ 6.78
51 G. E. M. Cash Store, 1 gal turpentine, 1942	1.25
52 Gordon Wade, 1 mo. janitor to Jan. 11 ....	20.00
53 Green Mtn. Maple Syrup Co., coal for Vil. sch.	14.50
54 School Acct., teachers' salary, 2 wks. to date	180.00
55 E. H. Edgerton, cleaning chemical toilet ....	10.00
56 Grover Jones, 7 days transportation to date..	12.60
57 Burr & Burton Sem., 2d semester, 16 students	809.72
58 Brandon Inc. School District, Harriet Bovey, tuition fall and winter .....	50.00
59 Green Mt. Maple Syrup Co., coal for village..	16.66
60 Gorver Jones, 9 days transportation to 28th	16.20
61 John Kelly, sawing wood, Hollow school ....	8.00
62 John C. Wintson Co., suppl. texts .....	8.55
63 J. L. Hammett Co., Inst. supplies .....	3.12
64 Scott, Foresman & Co., texts .....	6.45
65 Collector of Int. Rev., victory tax to Jan 1 ..	82.50
66 Owen Burke, Jr., building fires 5 wks. to date	2.50
67 Alva Taft, help saw wood No. Dist. ....	1.75
68 Green Mt. Maple Syrup Co., coal for village	15.00
69 School Acct. teachers' salary, 2 wks. to Jan. 28	180.00
70 School Acct., teachers' salary 2 wks. to date	180.00
71 White Comb Hardware, janitors' supplies ..	1.50
72 H. G. Stone, insurance on schools .....	72.94
73 School Acct., teachers' salary 1 wk. to date..	90.00
74 Gordon Wade, 1 mo. janitor to Feb. 11 ....	20.00
75 Grover Jones, 14 days' transprotation .....	25.20
76 Green Mt. Maple Syrup Co., coal, village sch.	17.05
77 C. V. P. S. Corp., Jan. & Feb. Village, \$14.10; No. Dist., \$2.00 .....	18.50
78 Leland Hazelton, building fires 7 wks. to date	3.50
79 J. Easton Owens, Treas., yrs. tuition for Lor- raine Park .....	65.00
80 School Acct., teachers' salary, 2 wks. to date	180.00
81 J. L. Hammett Co., Inst. supplies .....	61.25
82 The Macmillan Co., Inst. supplies .....	.61
83 Grover Jones, 7 days transp. to Mar. 10....	12.60

Order No.	Amount
84 Green Mt. Maple Syrup Co., coal, village sch.	16.68
85 Green Mt. Maple Syrup Co., coal, village sch.	18.12
86 School Acct., teachers' salary, 2 wks. to date	180.00
87 Gordon Wade, janitor 1 mo. to Mar. 11....	20.00
88 Grover Jones, 8 days transp. to Mar. 24.....	14.40
89 Green Mt. Maple Syrup Co., coal, village sch.	33.28
90 School Acct., teachers' salary 2 wks. to date	180.00
91 Edw. E. Babb & Co., furniture \$4.45; supp. \$1.58 .....	6.03
92 J. L. Hammett Co., Inst. supplies .....	5.45
93 Houghton Mifflin Co., texts .....	22.07
94 Gordon Wade, janitor 1 mo. to date .....	20.00
95 John H. Stannard, plumbing repairs, Vil. sch.	7.85
96 School Acct., teachers' salary 2 wks. to date	180.00
97 Grover Jones, 18 days transp. to date .....	32.40
98 Owen Burke, Jr., build. fires 10 wks. No. Dist.	5.00
99 Collector of Int. Rev., victory tax to Apr. 1	90.00
100 Brandon Inc. School District., spring tuition for Harriet Bovey .....	25.00
101 C. V. P. S. Corp., Mar. & Apr. lights .....	6.00
102 McAuliffe Paper Co., janitors' supplies .....	30.58
(No orders issued bearing No. 103 to 113.)	
113 Wilson Sports Equip. Co., sch. ground equip.	7.68
114 Edw. E. Babb & Co., 2 window shades .....	3.79
115 The Macmillan Co., texts .....	14.62
116 School Acct., teachers' salary to May 12 ....	180.00
117 Gordon Wade, janitor 1 month .....	20.00
118 Grover Jones, transportation 9 days .....	16.20
119 C. V. P. S. Corp., Hollow \$1; No. Dist. \$1; hall, \$8.60 .....	10.60
120 School Acct., teachers' salary 2 wks. to date	180.00
121 Grover Jones, 8 days transportation.....	14.40
122 School Acct., teachers' salary 2 wks. ....	180.00
123 E. H. Edgerton, lumber for play ground equip.	4.95
124 Leland Hazelton, building fires 12 wks. to date	5.70
125 Grover Jones, 8 days transportation .....	14.40
126 Owen Burke, Jr., build. fires No. Dist. 8 wks.	4.00
127 Leland Hazelton, bal. due bldg. fires, Hol. sch.	2.30
128 Collector of Int. Revenue, 9 wks. victory tax to date .....	67.50
129 Pearl Tobin, janitor 1 wk. village school....	5.00
130 Green Mt. Maple Sugar Co., coal for vil. sch.	78.21
131 C. V. P. S. Corp., 3 mo. lights, June, Jul., Aug.	9.00
132 Mrs. Henry Wade, cleaning, village and Hol- low schools .....	21.00

Order No.	Amount
133 John H. Stannard, furance vilage school . . . .	509.00
134 McAuliffe Paper Co., Inc., Inst. supplies . . . .	31.40
135 Cascades Paper Co., repairs . . . . .	8.10
136 Scott, Foresman & Co., texts . . . . .	2.68
137 Grover Jones, 14 days transportation . . . . .	25.20
138 School Acct., teachers' salary . . . . .	275.00
139 S. A. Aldrich, repairs, No. Dist., \$190.52; Hollow, \$47.92; Village, \$205.85 . . . . .	444.29
140 Burr & Burton Sem., 1st semester, 17 students	1,020.00
141 J. L. Hammett Co., repairs, \$1.09; Inst. sup- plies, \$2.52 . . . . .	3.61
142 H. C. Shaw, repairs . . . . .	3.25
143 The Macmillan Co., texts . . . . .	11.05
144 School Acct., teachers' salary 3 wks. . . . .	187.05
145 Grover Jones, 10 days transportation . . . . .	18.00
146 Howard H. Wheeler, tuning school piano . . . .	4.00
147 School Acct., teachers' salary . . . . .	205.30
148 E. L. Bigelow, quarterly salary . . . . .	152.17
149 Grover Jones, 8 days transportation . . . . .	14.40
150 C. V. P. S. Comp., hall, \$8.17; Hollow, \$2; No. Dist., \$2.44 . . . . .	12.61
151 School Acct., teachers' salary 2 wks. . . . .	205.30
152 Grover Jones, 10 days transportation . . . . .	18.00
153 Pearl Tobin, 1 mo. janitor . . . . .	20.00
154 Brandon Inc. School District, fall tuition, Har- riet Bovey . . . . .	25.00
155 School Acct., teachers' salary, 2 wks. . . . .	205.30
156 Grover Jones, 10 days' transportation . . . . .	18.00
157 J. L. Hammett Co., equipment and Inst. sup- plies, Hollow, Village . . . . .	14.28
158 E. J. Markey, heater, elec. wiring, etc. . . . .	46.23
159 Green Mt. Maple Syrup Co., coal, Hollow sch.	27.00
160 School Acct., teachers' salary, 2 wks. . . . .	205.30
161 Grover Jones, 8 days transportation . . . . .	14.40
162 Pearl Tobin, janitor 1 month . . . . .	20.00
163 Jack Harding, sawing wood, No. Dist. . . . .	3.25
164* Erwin Roberts, mowing Hollow school yard, 1943 and 1944 . . . . .	5.00
165 School Acct., teachers' salary 2 wks. . . . .	205.30
166 Scott, Foresman & Co., Inst. supplies . . . . .	13.82
167 Iroquois Pub. Co., Inst. supplies . . . . .	1.91
168 Grover Jones, 2 wks. transportation to date..	18.00
169 Green Mtn. Maple Syrup Co., coal, village sch.	44.48
170 Grover Jones, 5 days transportation . . . . .	9.00
171 Howard H. Wheeler, tuning No. Dist. school piano . . . . .	4.00



Order No.	Amount
172 Pearl Tobin, janitor 1 mo., and repair work..	21.50
173 H. C. Whipple, first aid supplies .....	1.38
174 Cascade Paper Co., Inst. supplies .....	8.25
175 School Acct., teachers' salary, 2 wks. ....	205.30
176* C. V. P. S. Corp., 2 mo. lights, 3 schools ....	6.00
177* Collector of Int. Revenue, victory tax .....	121.15
178* Willis Abbott, mowing school yard .....	2.00
179* E. H. Edgerton, sawing wood, No. Dist., and 1944 salary \$15 .....	22.20
180* G.E.M. Cash Store, first aid, No. District clean- ing supplies .....	2.31
Total .....	\$ 8,366.71

\*Outstanding orders 1944 Report: No. 164, \$5; No. 176, \$6; No. 177, \$121.15; No. 178, \$2; No. 179, \$22.20; No. 180, \$2.31; total \$158.66; and 1933 Report, No. 111, \$1.40; total \$160.06.

Orders listed as liabilities paid by treasurer Dec. 31, 1944: No. 35, \$7.50; No. 49, \$30.87; total, \$38.37

## John H. Stannard, School Director, South Dorset

### Dec. 31, 1943, to Dec. 31, 1944

283 Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary less \$3.80 tax \$	44.20
284 Howard Streeter, 3 wks. starting school fires	4.50
285 Burr & Burton, Sem., 2nd sem. tuition, 9 stu.	495.00
286 Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary, less \$3.80 tax	44.20
287 Howard Streeter, starting fires 1 wk: .....	1.50
288 Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary, less \$3.80 tax	44.20
289 Howard Streeter, starting school fires .....	3.50
290 Saint Clare School, tuition, 2d semester, Bern- adette Wyman .....	50.00
291 C. V. P. S. Corp., lights to Feb. 12 .....	5.64
292 Howard Streeter, starting fire 1 wk. ....	1.50
293 Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary, less \$3.80 tax	44.20
294 Howard Streeter, starting fire 1 wk. ....	1.50
295 Howard Streeter, starting fire 1 wk. ....	1.50
296 Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary less \$3.80 tax	44.20
297 W. F. McDevitt, water rent for school 1943; use of playground 1943, \$2 .....	7.00
298 Howard Streeter, starting fires 3 wks. ....	4.50
299 Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary, less \$3.80 tax	44.20
300 E. L. Bigelow, Supt. salary .....	155.56
301 Anne Harrington, 1 wk. salary, less \$1.90 tax	22.10
302 John H. Stannard, 1943 salary as school di- rector, phone calls and potsage .....	15.38

Order No.		Amount
303	John H. Stannard, chemical for toilets, charging toilets and cleaning stove pipe .....	9.50
304	J. L. Hammett Co., 2 drums Ken Sol. toilet chemical \$30; delivery on shipment \$1.80	14.80
305	J. L. Hammett Co., Inst. supplies .....	6.10
306	Tuttle Stationery Co., 12 school directors' order books .....	7.69
307	Scott, Foresman & Co., Inst. supplies .....	4.33
308	J. L. Hammett Co., 1 dip tube for Smith toilet, janitor supplies .....	15.99
309	J. L. Hammett Co., supplies for chemical toilet	3.20
310	Collector of Int. Rev., withholding tax for teacher's salary .....	22.80
311*	Howard Streeter, starting fires 2 wks. ....	3.00
312	Howard Streeter, starting fires 1 wk. to date	1.50
313	Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary, less \$3.80 tax	44.20
314	J. L. Hammett Co., chemical toilet supplies..	3.62
315	J. L. Hammett Co., deliv. charges on supplies	1.15
316	Scott, Foresman & Co., Inst. supplies .....	2.85
317	Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary, less \$3.80 tax	44.20
318	Howard Streeter, starting fires 3 wks. ....	4.50
319	Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary, les \$3.80 tax	44.20
320	John H. Stannard, pipe and fittings for playground at Dorset and No. District schools	13.40
321	W. F. McDevitt, water rent for So. Dorset sch., 1944-45; use of playground, 1944, \$2 ....	7.00
322	Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary less \$3.80 tax	44.20
323	Collector of Int. Rev., withholding tax on teacher's salary to July 1, 1944 .....	17.10
324	Mike Kelleher, 4 cords wood, So. Dorset sch.	16.00
325	Chas. Scribner's, Inc., suppl. books .....	7.69
326	Webster Pub. Co., suppl. texts .....	2.92
327	World Book Co., Inst. supplies .....	4.27
328	John H. Stannard, repairs on gutters and chemical toilets .....	12.00
1	C. V. P. S. Corp., acct. to July 10 .....	5.00
2	Charlotte Stannard, taking school census, 180 enrolled .....	10.80
3	Henry G. Stone, yearly prem. on fire insurance policy No. 0013816 .....	39.20
4	Rufus Lake, mowing and cleaning playground	7.50
5	Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary, less \$3.80 tax	46.20
6	Edw. Molloy, Sr., 20 hrs. painting at South Dorset school house .....	18.00
7	Scott, Foresman & Co., Inst. supplies, \$11.80; regular texts, \$44.83 .....	56.63

Order No.	Amount
8 Burr & Burton Sem., 1st semester tuition for five students .....	300.00
9 Iroquois Pub. Co., Inst. supplies .....	15.71
10 Ginn & Co., text books .....	5.59
11 Scott, Foresman & Co., text books .....	4.50
12 Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary, less \$3.80 tax	46.20
13 Edw. Molloy, Jr., 2 wks. starting school fire	3.00
14 Edw. Molloy, Sr., Oct. 12, 13, 14, 15, 13 hrs. painting at So. Dorset school house .....	11.70
15 Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary less \$3.80 tax	46.20
16 Geo. Streeter, Oct. 20th, 17 hrs. work at So. Dorset school .....	15.30
17 Saint Clare School, 1st semester tuition for Bernadette Wyman .....	50.00
18 Collector of Int. Rev., withholding tax on teacher's salary to Oct. 1st .....	3.80
19 Edw. Molloy, Jr., starting fires 3 wks. ....	4.50
20 Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary, less \$3.80 tax	46.20
21 C. V. P. S. Corp., lights from July 10 to Oct. 10 at South Dorset school .....	5.44
22 The Educational Supply Co., instruction suppl.	3.00
23 Houghton Mifflin Co., text books .....	9.89
24 Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary, less \$3.80 tax	46.20
25 Edw. Molloy, Jr., starting fires at school 2 weeks and 10 days .....	3.60
26 Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary less \$3.80 tax	46.20
27 Iroquois Pub. Co., text books .....	1.00
28 The Macmillan Co., text books .....	3.38
29 Edw. Molloy, Jr., 3 wks. starting fires .....	4.50
30 Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary, less \$3.80 tax	46.20
31 Edw. Molloy, Jr., starting fires, \$1.50; window glass, 95c; extra work at school .....	3.95
32 Anne Harrington, 2 wks. salary, less \$3.80 tax	46.20
33 E. L. Bigelow, Supt. salary .....	152.17
34 C. V. P. S. Corp., lights to Dec. 11, 1944 ....	2.00
Total .....	\$ 2,502.33

\*Outstanding order 1944 Report: No. 311, \$3.00.

Outstanding order 1943 Report: No. 276, \$3.00.

Orders listed as liabilities Dec. 31, 1943 Report, paid by treasurer: No. 277, \$22.10; No. 281, \$8.45; No. 282, \$24.70; total \$55.25.

### J. R. Swan, School Director, East Side Dec. 31, 1943, to Dec. 31, 1944

44 Teacher's salary, 3 wks., less \$15.60 tax— Mrs. Abbott, \$67.20; Miss Payne \$67.20...	\$ 134.40
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Order No.	Amount
45 Lawrence Wade, janitor service 3 wks. ....	15.00
46 Geo. E. Livingston, transportation 3 wks: use of vehicle \$30; driver \$30 .....	60.00
47 Lynn C. Baker, wood for E. Dorset school, sawed and delivered .....	52.00
48 Teachers' salary, 2 wks. less \$10.40 tax— Mrs. Abbott \$44.80; Miss Payne \$44.80 ..	89.60
49 C. V. P. S. Corp., lights .....	12.65
50 Lawrence A. Wade, 2 wks. janitor, \$10; draw- ing wood, ashes, putting in wood and re- pairs \$10.50 .....	20.50
51 Geo. E. Livingston, transportation 2 wks., use of vehicle \$20.00 .....	40.00
52 Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$10.40 tax— Mrs. Abbott \$44.80; Miss Payne \$44.80 ..	89.60
53 Lawrence A. Wade, janitor 2 wks. ....	10.00
54 Geo. E. Livingston, transportation 2 wks., use of vehicle \$20.00; driver \$20.00 .....	40.00
55 C. V. P. S. Corp., lights .....	6.60
56 Edw. E. Babb & Co., janitor supplies .....	1.62
57 The Continental Press, Inst. supplies .....	5.12
58 National Survey Co., Inst. supplies .....	1.83
59 E. C. Crosby & Sons, 3180 lbs. coke .....	25.44
60 J. R. Swan, salary school director, \$15.00; postage and telephone, \$2.20 .....	17.20
61 Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$10.40 tax— Mrs. Abbott \$44.80; Miss Payne \$44.80 ..	89.60
62 Lawrence A. Wade, janitor 3 wks. ....	15.00
63 Geo. E. Livingston, transportation 2 wks., ve- hicle, \$20; driver, \$20 .....	40.00
64 Burr & Burton Sem., tuition 7 students ....	385.00
65 Lawrence A. Wade, transportation 1 wk., ve- hicle \$10.00; driver \$10.00 .....	20.00
66 Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$10.40 tax— Mrs. Abbott \$44.80; Miss Payne \$44.80 ..	89.60
67 C. V. P. S. Corp., lights .....	5.40
68 Lawrence A. Wade, transportation 1 wk., use vehicle \$10; driver \$10; 2 wks. janitor \$10	30.00
69 E. J. Leary, repairs for teacher's desk, prim- ary room .....	7.50
70 Collector Int. Revenue, withholding tax, teachers' salary, quarter ending Mar. 31, '44, Mrs. Abbott \$28.60; Miss Payne \$28.60	57.20
71 Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$10.40 tax— Mrs. Abbott \$44.80; Miss Payne \$44.80 ..	89.60
72 Lawrence A. Wade, transportation 2 wks., use of vehicle \$20; driver \$20; janitor \$10; drawing ashes and repairs \$14.45 .....	54.45



Order No.		Amount
73	E. C. Crosby & Sons, 7230 lbs. soft coal, E. Dorset .....	43.38
74	Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$10.40 tax—Mrs. Abbott \$44.80; Miss Payne \$44.80 ..	89.60
75	L. A. Wade, transportation 2 wks., use of vehicle \$20; driver \$20; janitor 2 wks. \$10	50.00
76	C. V. P. S. Corp., lights .....	5.65
77	J. L. Hammett Co., janitor supplies .....	18.17
78	Silver Burdett Co., suppl. texts .....	4.90
79	McAuliffe Paper Co., misc. supplies .....	2.40
80	Purdy's Sheet Metal Works, repair material E. Dorset .....	82.33
81	L. A. Wade, transportation 2 wks., use of vehicle \$20; driver, \$20; janitor 3 wks. \$15	55.00
82	Teachers' salary, 2 wks. less \$10.40 tax—Mrs. Abbott \$44.80; Miss Payne \$44.80 ..	89.60
83	Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$10.40 tax—Mrs. Abbott \$44.80; Miss Payne \$44.80 ..	89.60
84	L. A. Wade, transportation 2 wks., use of vehicle \$20; driver \$20; janitor \$10 .....	50.00
85	Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$10.40 tax—Mrs. Abbott \$44.80; Miss Payne \$44.80 ..	89.60
86	L. A. Wade, transportation 2 wks., use of vehicle \$20; driver \$20; janitor \$10 .....	50.00
87	Teachers' salary 1 wk., less \$5.20 tax—Mrs. Abbott \$22.40; Miss Payne \$22.40 ..	44.80
88	Collector Int. Revenue, withholding tax, teachers' salary, quarter ending June 30, 1944, Mrs. Abbott \$28.60; Miss Payne \$28.60 ..	57.20
89	L. A. Wade, transportation 1 wk., use of vehicle \$10; driver \$10; janitor 1 wk. \$5 ..	25.00
90	E. L. Bigelow, salary for quarter, \$155.56; misc. supplies, \$8.55 .....	164.11
91	Follett Book Co., supplementary books ....	15.11
92	Lester Farnum, lettering 4 diplomas .....	.80
93	C. V. P. S. Corp., lights 2 months .....	12.65
1	H. G. Stone, redecorating school room, E. Dor.	55.50
2	H. G. Stone, repairs to E. Dorset school, varnish \$5 .....	38.75
3	H. G. Stone, labor, E. Dorset school .....	15.75
4	C. V. P. S. Corp., lights .....	1.00
5	H. G. Stone, $\frac{3}{4}$ contract price, paint and painting E. Dorset school building .....	237.50
6	Purdy's Wire & Sheet Metal Works, supplies for redecorating E. Dorset school .....	70.51
7	East Dorset Water Works, water rent Jan. 1 to July 1, 1944 .....	18.00
8	H. G. Stone, insurance .....	88.95

Order No.	Amount
9 C. V. P. S. Corp., lights .....	1.00
10 R. K. Miles, lumber for repairs, E. Dorset school building .....	12.47
11 H. G. Stone, balance contract price for painting E. Dorset school building .....	237.50
12 H. G. Stone, repairs E. Dorset school building .....	36.00
13 D. C. Heath, supplementary texts .....	8.70
14 J. L. Hammett, instructional supplies, \$4.50; repairs 65c .....	5.15
15 H. G. Stone, repairs E. Dorset building ....	34.00
16 Wilma Joslin, cleaning school rooms E. Dorset .....	15.00
17 L. A. Wade, transportation 2 wks., use of vehicle \$20; driver \$20; janitor \$10 .....	50.00
18 Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$12.60 tax—Mrs. Abbott \$48.80; Miss Payne \$48.80 ..	97.60
19 C. V. P. S. Corp., lights .....	1.00
20 L. A. Wade, drawing ashes, cleaning school yard, getting seats from No. Dorset .....	5.00
21 Burr & Burton Sem., tuition, first semester for 5 students .....	300.00
22 H. G. Stone, repairing porch E. Dorset school \$18; $\frac{1}{2}$ sq. slate \$4; North Dorset school building \$3 .....	25.00
23 H. Edward Karlander, plumbing repairs, E. Dorset school .....	8.10
24 Purdy's Metal Works., repairs, supplies, school building E. Dorset, \$4.64; No. Dorset \$11.49 .....	16.13
25 Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$12.40 tax—Mrs. Abbott \$48.80; Miss Payne \$48.80 ..	97.60
26 Collector Int. Revenue, teachers' salary, quarter ending Sept. 30, 1944—Mrs. Abbott \$6.20; Miss Payne \$6.20 .....	12.40
27 L. A. Wade, transportation 2 wks., use of vehicle \$20; driver \$20; janitor \$10 .....	50.00
28 Manchester Hardware Plumbing Co., janitor supplies .....	3.20
29 Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$12.40 tax—Mrs. Abbott \$48.80; Miss Payne \$48.80 ..	97.60
30 L. A. Wade, transportation 2 wks., use of vehicle \$20; driver \$20; janitor \$10 .....	50.00
31 Ernest McDaniels, 12 cords furnace wood, E. Dorset school .....	48.00
32 Lawrence Wade, drawing ashes \$1; putting in wood \$7.70; labor hall floor .....	10.20
33 Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$12.40 tax—Mrs. Abbott \$48.80; Miss Payne \$48.80 ..	97.60
34 C. V. P. S. Corp., lights .....	11.48

Order No.		Amount
35	L. A. Wade, transportation 2 wks., use of vehicle \$20; driver \$20; janitor \$10 .....	50.00
36	Webster Pub. Co., instructional supplies ....	13.26
37	Scott, Foresman & Co., instructional supplies	9.15
38	McAuliffe Paper Co., instructional supplies ..	2.80
39	L. A. Wade, transportation 1 wk., use of vehicle \$10; driver \$10; janitor \$5 .....	25.00
40	E. C. Crosby & Sons, 20240 lbs. coal at \$11 ton, East Dorset school .....	111.31
41	L. A. Wade, labor on storm windows \$2.10; moving coal \$2.10; drawing ashes 50c....	4.70
42	Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$12.40 tax—Mrs. Abbott \$48.80; Miss Payne \$48.80 ..	97.60
43*	Arthur Brophy, transportation 1 wk., use of vehicle \$10; driver \$10; janitor \$5 .....	25.00
44	J. R. Swan, furnace shovel, E. Dorset school	1.25
45	Arthur B. Steere, transportation 2 wks., use of vehicle \$20; driver \$20 .....	40.00
46	A. J. Gormley, janitor 2 wks. ....	10.00
47	Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$12.40 tax—Mrs. Abbott \$48.80; Miss Payne \$48.80 ..	97.60
48	C. V. P. S. Corp., lights .....	4.20
49	Educational Supply Co., instructional supplies	3.57
50	Houghton Mifflin Co., instructional supplies..	1.75
51	Edward E. Babb & Co., janitor supplies....	1.63
52	J. L. Hammett Co., repairs .....	1.09
53	Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$12.40 tax—Mrs. Abbott \$48.80; Miss Payne \$48.80 ..	97.60
54	Arthur B. Steere, transportation 2 wks., use of vehicle \$20; driver \$20 .....	40.00
55	A. J. Gormley, janitor service 2 wks. ....	10.00
56	H. G. Stone, fitting, painting, installing storm windows E. Dorset school \$40.25; No. Dorset school \$3 .....	43.25
57	Mt. St. Joseph Acad., tuition Kathleen Leary school year 1944-1945 .....	120.00
58	Teachers' salary, 2 wks., less \$12.40 tax—Mrs. Abbott \$48.80; Miss Payne \$48.80 ..	97.60
59*	Collector Int. Revenue, withholding tax, teachers' salary, quarter ending Dec. 31—Mrs. Abbott \$43.40; Miss Payne \$43.40 .....	86.80
60*	Arthur B. Steere, transportation 1 wk., use of vehicle \$10; driver \$10 .....	20.00
61*	A. J. Gormley, janitor 2 wks. ....	10.00
62	Ginn & Co., texts .....	6.75
63	American Book Co., supplementary texts ....	2.03
64	The Macmillan Co., supplementary texts ....	6.08

Order No.	Amount
65* Howard G. Brophy, janitor supplies .....	2.50
66* J. R. Swan, repairing flag pole, E. Dorset sch.	1.50
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	\$ 5,445.52

\*Outstanding orders 1944 Report: No. 43, \$25; No. 59, \$86.80; No. 60, \$20; No. 61, \$10; No. 65, \$2.50; No. 66, \$1.50; total \$145.80.

Orders listed as liabilities Dec. 31, 1943, paid by treasurer: No. 36, \$10; No. 39, \$18; No. 40, \$62.40; No. 42, \$10; No. 43, \$7.59; total \$107.99.



## SCHOOL DIRECTORS' REPORT

### Summary Orders Drawn Jan. 1, 1944, to Jan. 1, 1945

	Edgerton	Stannard	Swan	Total
Teach. inc. V. tax	\$3,945.00	\$ 877.40	\$1,980.00	\$6,802.40
Supervision	152.17	307.73	155.56	615.46
H. S. tuition	1,994.72	895.00	805.00	3,694.72
Inst. supplies	135.07	48.04	41.98	225.09
Regular texts	56.87	69.19	6.75	132.81
Suppl. texts	8.55	10.61	36.82	55.98
Janitors & cleaners	220.50	44.60	215.00	480.10
Janitors' supplies	38.94	4.77	28.37	72.08
Fuel	300.98	16.00	280.13	597.11
Lights and water	62.71	32.08	79.63	174.42
Repairs	1,030.56	110.44	958.38	2,099.38
Trans. & board	293.40	.....	740.00	1,033.40
Insurance	72.94	39.36	88.95	201.25
Census	.....	10.80	.....	10.80
Directors	15.00	15.38	15.00	45.38
Miscellaneous	18.23	7.69	13.95	39.87
Total .....	\$8,366.51	\$2,502.49	\$5,445.52	\$16,314.52

	Spent 1944	Estimated 1945
Teachers .....	\$6,802.40	\$7,600.00
Supervision .....	615.46	650.00
High School Tuition .....	3,694.72	4,500.00
Instructional Supplies .....	225.09	225.00
Regular Texts .....	132.81	150.00
Supplementary Books .....	55.98	25.00
Janitors and Cleaning .....	480.10	500.00
Janitors' Supplies .....	72.08	60.00
Fuel .....	597.11	700.00
Lights and Water .....	174.42	175.00
Repairs .....	2,099.38	500.00
Transportation .....	1,033.40	1,000.00
Furniture and Equipment ..	34.27	25.00
Insurance .....	201.25	300.00
Directors .....	45.38	100.00
Census .....	10.80	10.00
Miscellaneous .....	39.87	25.00
	<u>\$16,314.52</u>	<u>\$16,545.00</u>

## Anticipated Resources

\$1.30 tax on \$10,259.76 Grand List .....	\$13,337.68
Glebe Rent .....	71.90
Income from National Forest .....	75.00
State Aid .....	2,700.00
Balance from 1944 .....	366.08
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	\$16,550.66

Pursuant to Sec. 4177 of the General Laws, the following statement is submitted for the State Fiscal Year, ending June 30, 1944, as reported to the Commissioner of Education. These figures are for a true school year, whereas those in the School Directors' report for the town fiscal year represent halves of two different school years.

## Receipts

State Aid .....	\$ 2,034.79
State Standardization Fund .....	6.70
Local taxes, Glebe and Forest .....	11,739.40
Unexpended balance, 1943 .....	3,299.75
Miscellaneous .....	58.97
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Total Receipts .....	\$17,139.61

## Expenditures

General Administration Costs .....	\$ 660.31
High School Tuition .....	3,818.05
Instruction Costs .....	6,504.27
Plant Operation Cost .....	1,496.16
Maintenance Cost .....	417.83
Transportation and Board .....	995.40
Insurance .....	252.92
Miscellaneous .....	.80
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Total Expenditures .....	\$14,145.74
Balance June 30, 1944 .....	2,993.87
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	\$17,139.61

Net cost to town for items to which state aid must be applied (teachers' salaries, supervision, transportation, high school tuition), was \$9,474.90.

Average number of pupils and approximate cost of each school.

	Number Pupils	Approx. Cost per Pupil	Approximate Cost
East Dorset .....	59	\$ 65.27	\$3,850.95
Hollow .....	10	105.67	1,056.76
North District .....	15	78.20	1,173.03
South Dorset .....	22	53.86	1,185.10
Village .....	39	80.74	3,149.13
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			\$10,414.97
High School Tuition .....			3,694.72
Extraordinary Repairs .....			2,099.38
Victory Tax, 1943 .....			82.50
Insurance North Dorset and West Roads Schools..			22.95

Total 1944 Expenditures .....\$16,314.52

The average number of high school pupils was 31½ (35 for one-half year and 28 for one-half year). Average cost per high school pupil was \$115.29.

### Expenditures For Past Five Years

(Town Fiscal Year)

1940 .....	\$16,849.45
1941 .....	\$15,187.70
1942 .....	\$15,502.41
1943 .....	\$14,129.19
1944 .....	\$16,314.42

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Manchester Center, Vt., Feb. 5, 1945.

Members of the School Board:

We can consider ourselves fortunate to have been able to keep the schools operating as usual in a period of wartime stress, when, in most enterprises, "business as usual" has been out of the question. Unfortunately, such success this year is no guarantee that we can do as well next year.

Not only have the schools been operated in their usual routine, but some long deferred improvements have been made, so that now the school plant is in the best condition it has been for some time. Interior painting and a new ceiling at North District have made that school very attractive. Hollow school with a coat of fresh paint is much pleasanter than it has been for some time. The two re-painted rooms at East

Dorset have made that school much more attractive than it has been for a number of years. The Dorset Village school has been insulated, and equipped with a new heating plant, which should make it possible to go through a winter without having to dismiss the pupils because the rooms are too cold to stay in as was the case last winter. So far this winter, the rooms have been very comfortable on the coldest mornings. The side entrance has been changed to provide entrance without going over ice covered steps, but a whole new outside door assembly is needed to be certain that the outside door remains closed. The primary room received a coat of paint.

These operations left the school account with a balance of less than \$600.00. The schools should now be put on a regular rotation of renovation so that such an accumulation of work would not come in one year.

Progress has also been made in other directions than plant improvement. The revised edition of the Elson reading system has been put in the first grade; number work books provided for the first two grades; and English work books for the five upper grades. This was a new venture, but it seemed worth trying, particularly with the English, as that seems to be the most difficult subject for satisfactory instruction. The experiment has worked well, and I believe the practice should be continued. The revised Elson texts should be put in the second grade next year.

There was, during the past year, an average enrollment in the elementary schools of 150 with an average daily attendance of 122.4. Of those in school at the end of the year, 93 or 82% were promoted, 11 of whom were on condition. It seemed wise for 23 to repeat their grade. This last fall there were 145 enrolled in the schools. The average high school enrollment was 35.5. This year there were 25 pupils enrolled at Burr and Burton Seminary, only two of whom are Seniors, and three pupils elsewhere.

The introduction of music instruction in the schools of the west side is a progressive step in the right direction, but East Dorset pupils should have the same advantage, and if it is to be privately financed, as at present, the people of that community ought to make provision for it.

Another step in the right direction is the health examination project carried out by the Parent Teacher Association on the west side of the town, through which it has been possible to secure examination of all the pupils. So far, the record of corrections of detected defects is rather low, but in time that



will probably increase. It sometimes takes longer to educate adults to progressive ways of thinking and doing than it does the youngsters in school.

The reason that it seems to me these activities of the Parent Teacher Association are worthy of comment even though they are not initiated by the school board, is that they exemplify one of the essentials of effective rural citizenship as pointed out by Murray D. Lincoln in a speech at the White House Conference on Rural Education, that "it is not what is done for people that counts, it is what people do for themselves."

One further improvement of the school plant to be planned for is the installation of an efficient heating plant at the East Dorset school. It seems impossible to heat the rooms satisfactorily with the present equipment, in spite of several attempts to improve its operating efficiency. Even if a new heating plant cannot be installed for a while, something decisive should be done to keep the water pipes from freezing every winter. Not only is the freezing a source of annoyance, but it is also a matter of no small expense.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN L. BIGELOW,  
Superintendent of Schools.

# OVERSEER'S ACCOUNT FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1944

	Town Aid	Food	Fuel	Medical	Rent	Board	Clothing	Other	Total
R. Butler .....	\$ .....	\$299.19	\$26.00	\$.....	\$ 19.00	\$ .....	\$ 39.86	\$4.50	\$ 388.55
E. Bruso .....	240.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	240.00
I. Devenow .....	250.00	22.86	35.50	.....	84.00	.....	.....	.....	392.36
J. Gallagher .....	.....	.....	.....	79.06	.....	510.00	.....	.....	589.06
Mrs. O. Harris .....	.....	.....	.....	15.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.00
B. Hazelton .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	61.50	8.87	.79	71.18
*Mrs. Howard .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70.00	17.48	.....	87.48
H. Lillie .....	120.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	120.00
E. Lynch .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	184.00	57.30	.....	241.30
J. McDonald .....	.....	.....	.....	155.24	.....	77.15	18.81	.....	251.20
Mrs. Merrow .....	426.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	426.00
C. Rice .....	58.00	49.78	.....	24.19	.....	.....	.....	.....	131.97
D. Taft .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.42	.....	13.42
R. Taft .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.29	.....	12.29
W. Taft .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	510.00	.....	.....	510.00
	<u>\$1,094.00</u>	<u>\$371.83</u>	<u>\$61.50</u>	<u>\$273.54</u>	<u>\$103.00</u>	<u>\$1,412.67</u>	<u>\$168.03</u>	<u>\$5.29</u>	<u>\$3,489.81</u>

Aid to Dependent Children: Department of Public Welfare .....	849.47
Tramps .....	4.00
Overseer's Expense:	
Salary .....	440.00
Telephone .....	2.65
Postage .....	6.64
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	1,302.76
Total Orders Drawn .....	<hr/>
	\$4,792.57

\*Paid by Town of Danby.

Outstanding orders 1944 Report: No. 264, \$10; No. 265, \$3; No. 272, \$10; No. 273, \$14.10; No. 274, \$10; No. 277, \$4.82; total, \$51.92.

Orders listed as liabilities Dec. 31, 1943, paid by treasurer: No. 427, \$5; No. 232, \$1.00; No. 277, \$10; No. 432, \$5; No. 434, \$40; total \$68.60.

## SUMMARY OF ALL ORDERS

	Amt. Issued	Amt. Paid	Amt. O'st'g
<b>Selectmen:</b>			
Stannard .....	\$15,588.39	\$15,525.91	\$ 62.48
Leary .....	7,227.28	7,029.72	197.56
White .....	11,286.22	11,070.52	215.70
Liab. Dec. 1943 Rep.	117.34	62.83	52.52
	<hr/> \$34,219.23	<hr/> \$33,688.97	<hr/> \$ 530.26
<b>Schools:</b>			
Edgerton .....	\$ 8,366.71	\$ 8,208.05	\$ 158.66
Swan .....	5,445.52	5,299.72	145.80
Stannard .....	2,502.33	2,499.33	3.00
Liab. Dec. 1943 Rep.	207.54	201.61	5.93
	<hr/> \$16,522.10	<hr/> \$16,211.71	<hr/> \$ 530.26
<b>Overseer:</b>			
Gilbert .....	\$ 4,792.57	\$ 4,740.65	\$ 51.92
Liab. Dec. 1943 Rep.	68.60	68.60	.....
	<hr/> \$ 4,861.17	<hr/> \$ 4,809.25	<hr/> \$ 51.92
<b>Road Department:</b>			
Gay .....	\$ 1,905.58	\$ 1,818.21	\$ 87.37
Kinnie .....	3,823.00	3,819.90	3.10
Liab. Dec. 1943 Rep.	29.67	8.50	21.17
	<hr/> \$ 5,758.25	<hr/> \$ 5,646.61	<hr/> \$ 111.64



# DELINQUENT TAX LIST

As of January 1, 1945

B. D. Phillips, Tax Collector

## Delinquent Poll Taxes

1938—\$6.05

Patterson, Mary M. ....	\$ 6.05	
Revett, Winifred .....	6.05	
		\$ 12.10

1939—\$6.05

Patterson, Mary M. ....	\$ 6.05	
Revett, Winifred .....	6.05	
Salmon, Elizabeth .....	6.05	
Salmon, Thomas .....	6.05	
		\$ 24.20

1940—\$6.05

Patterson, Mary M. ....	\$ 6.05	
Dorr, Hazel (pd. 93c) .....	6.05	
Revett, Winifred .....	6.05	
		\$ 18.15

1941—\$6.05

Dorr, Hazel	Patterson, Roger S.	
Harris, Oliver D.	Revett, Winifred	
Harris, Mavarett	Sweeney, John H.	
Patterson, Mary		\$ 42.35

1942—\$6.05

Brophy, Gladys N.	Moffit, Edward	
Child, Sargent	Nichols, Laura S.	
Flynn, Dennis F.	Nolet, Helen M.	
Harris, Oliver	Revett, Winifred	
Harris, Mavarett	Roberts, William	
Harwood, Donald (in service)	Roberts, Dennis (pd \$2.78)	
Livingston, Hildreth	Roberts, Clara	
Livingston, Katherine	Sweeney, John H.	
Matson, Adah	Sweeney, Edith F	
		\$102.85

1943—\$6.05

Andrews, Amy J.	Harrington, Isaac (pd. \$3.21)
Baker, Fred	Matson, Lillian
Baker, Dorothy	Matson, Charles

Bovey, Evelyn (pd. \$1.85)	Matson, Adah
Butler, Richard	Moffit, Edward
Chapman, Rena B.	Nolet, Helen N.
Cooper, Mary	Shores, Lydia
Crandall, Alvin (pd. \$0.63)	Slavin, James (pd. \$4.18)
Devenow, Irene	Slavin, Mildred
Greene, Harris	Sweeney, John H.
Greene, Ethel	Sweeney, Edith
	\$ 133.10

#### 1944

Beattie, William G.	Matson, Adah
Brophy, Victor L.	Meyer, Elizabeth
Brophy, Henrietta	Phillips, Charles
Colvin, Nellie	Phillips, Bertha
Colvin, Elmer D.	Ramsey, Carl T.
*Connors, Gertrude E.	Ramsey, Edith C.
*Connors, Gertrude M.	Revett, Winifred
Cooper, Mary	Roberts, Maude
Crandall, Alvin	Shores, Lydia
Dorr, Hazel M.	Slavin, James
Forrest, Dewey J.	Slavin, Mildred
Forrest, Augusta A.	Slavin, Leonard
Grondahl, Bernadine	Snow, Harold W.
Harrington, Josephine	Snow, Mildred
Jameson, William F.	Sweeney, John H.
Jones, Walter F.	Sweeney, Edith F.
Jones, Evelyn H.	Taft, Harvey
Jones, Quincy	Taft, Elsie
Kinnie, William	Tift, Ira F.
Knowles, Albert	Wade, Daniel (war veteran)
Lake, Warren	Wade, Henry
Lake, Charlotte	Wade, Mary
Mason, Louis A.	Wideawake, Merritt
Mason, Mary D.	Wideawake, Daisy
Matson, Jeddie	Wilkins, George
Matson, Charles	Young, Gertrude
	\$ 314.60

Grand Total .....\$ 647.35

\*Indicates paid since Dec. 31, 1944.

### Delinquent Property Taxes

.....1932	
Roberts, Stephen R. Est. ....	\$ 11.95

1933	
Potter, C. and M. C. ....	\$ 7.61
Roberts, Stephen R. Est. ....	9.67
	—————\$ 17.28
1934	
Wade, Henry ....	\$ 24.13
Martin J. H. Est. ....	1.88
	—————\$ 26.01
1935	
Martin, J. G. Estate ....	\$ 1.88
Bowen, John Est. ....	1.48
Colvin, Floyd and Marjorie ....	6.46
	—————\$ 9.82
1936	
Bowen, John Est. ....	\$ 1.67
1937	
Bowen, John Est. ....	\$ 1.68
Colvin, Floyd and Marjorie ....	5.74
Crandall, W. and Blanche ....	22.80
	—————\$ 30.22
1938	
Bowen, John Est. ....	\$ 1.80
Crandall, W. A. and Blanche ....	22.55
Landon, Lena M. Est. ....	2.68
Roberts, Allen and Lura ....	14.93
	—————\$ 41.96
1939	
Bowen, John Est. ....	\$ 1.80
Landon, Lena M. Est. ....	2.68
Roberts, Allen and Lura ....	14.93
Tinsdale, W. H. Estate ....	22.80
	—————\$ 42.21
1940	
Bell, Herbert J. ....	\$ 1.45
Bell, Benjamin ....	1.28
Bowen, John Est. ....	1.80
Landon, Lena M. Est. ....	2.68
Roberts, Allen and Lura ....	14.93
	—————\$ 22.14
1941	
Bell, Benjamin ....	\$ 1.28
Bell, Herbert J. ....	1.45
Eggleston, Edw. C. and Frank D. ....	3.55
Landon, Lena M. Est. ....	2.68
Nolet, Helen M. ....	2.68
Roberts, Allen and Lura ....	14.93
	—————\$ 26.57

1942

Bell, Herbert J. Est. ....	\$ 1.45
Bell, Benjamin .....	1.28
Bowen, John Est. ....	1.80
Brophy, Robert D. ....	4.42
Chapman, Rena B. ....	38.55
Eggleston, Edw. C. and Frank .....	3.55
Forrest, Dewey and Augusta .....	14.93
Heath, Jennie Dunn .....	14.93
Jones, Walter E. (pd. \$2.43) .....	15.80
King, James F. ....	13.17
Lake, Guy and Edna .....	4.43
Landon, Lena M. Est. ....	2.67
Moore, Mary .....	3.55
Nolet, Helen .....	5.30
Phillips, Charles S. (pd. 98c) .....	99.62
Roberts, Stephen R. Est. ....	10.55
Twyne, Cecil and Nellie .....	10.55
Brickley, John F. ....	10.55
Wetter, Chas. ....	81.28
	<hr/> \$ 438.38

1943

Bell, Herbert J. Est. ....	\$ 1.45
Bell, Benjamin .....	1.28
Bowen, John Est. ....	1.80
Brickley, John F. ....	10.55
Brophy, Robert D. and Gladys .....	4.43
Chapin, Harold W. ....	175.05
Chapman, Rena B. ....	38.55
Hawley, Chas. H., Admr. ....	5.16
Hawley, Chas. H. Est. ....	2.76
Heath, Jennie Dunn .....	14.93
King, James F. ....	2.67
Lake, Guy and Edna .....	4.43
Lake, George A. ....	3.55
Landon, Lena M. Est. ....	2.67
Leary, Paul A. and Madeline .....	39.95
Moore, Mary .....	3.55
Nolet, Helen M. ....	5.30
Phillips, Charles S. ....	101.55
Roberts, Stephen R. Est. ....	10.55
Van Orman, Arthur .....	13.17
Wetter, Charles H. ....	103.30
	<hr/> \$ 546.65



- 1944

Agar, C. L. J. Est. ....	\$ 241.13
Bell, Herbert J. Est. ....	1.45
Bell, Benjamin .....	1.28
Benedict, Helen V. ....	67.95
Benedict, Frank W. ....	10.37
Brickley, John F. ....	10.55
Britton, Leonard .....	8.80
Chapman, Rena B. ....	38.55
Colvin, Elmer D. ....	.75
Connors, Martin J. and Dorothy L. ....	10.50
Crandall, Wilber .....	1.80
Danforth, Edward C. ....	39.43
Danforth, Byron R. Est. ....	40.30
DeJordy, Albert and Katherine .....	1.80
Dorr, Donald (pd. \$9.82) .....	19.30
Gormley, James .....	7.93
Heath, Jennie Dunn .....	14.93
Harrington, Lewis .....	14.05
Jones, Walter E. ....	15.10
King, James F. ....	2.67
Lake, Guy and Edna .....	4.43
Landon, Lena M. Est. ....	2.67
Leary, Paul and Madeline .....	29.80
Legare, Eva Est. ....	22.80
Mason, Louis A. and Mary D. ....	7.05
Matson, A. J. Est. ....	4.43
Matson, Lophelia Est. ....	4.43
Mitchell, Jacques A. Est. (pd. \$12.25)....	91.05
Moore, Mary .....	3.55
Nolet, Helen M. ....	5.30
Phillips, Charles S. ....	99.97
Porter, Mary P. ....	1.80
Roberts, Stephen Est. ....	10.55
Snow, Harold .....	6.18
Snow, Floyd .....	1.80
Twyne, Cecil and Nellie .....	10.55
Wetter, Charles H. ....	103.30
Platka Fuel Co. ....	7.05
Skidmore, Wm. ....	1.80
	\$ 967.15
Grand Total .....	\$2,182.01

## Abatements, 1944

1934	
E. L. Fletcher (Personal Property) .....	\$ 2.90
1935	
Maynard Grout, (Personal Property) .....	\$ .90
1936	
Homer Coan (Personal Property) .....	\$ 9.38
Maynard Grout (Personal Property) .....	1.09
	\$ 10.47
1937	
Edward Beauregard (Personal Property) ..	\$ 9.70
E. L. Fletcher (Personal Property) .....	3.30
Harold Grout .....	5.80
Everett Jones .....	5.80
	\$ 24.60
1938	
Edward Beauregard (Personal Property) ..	\$ 7.58
Everett Jones .....	6.05
Ambrose A. Snow (Error) .....	24.50
	\$ 38.13
1939	
Everett Jones .....	\$ 6.05
1940	
Everett Jones .....	\$ 6.05
David Jones .....	6.05
Alvin Waters .....	6.05
	\$ 18.15
1941	
William Park (In Service) .....	\$ 6.05
Mary Park .....	6.05
	\$ 12.10
1942	
Edward Beauregard .....	\$ 6.05
Clara Beauregard .....	6.05
John P. Gallagher (In Service) .....	6.05
Jean Galusha .....	6.05
Paul A. Holmberg .....	6.05
Louise Hurlburt .....	6.05
Louise Leary .....	6.05
Deal Leary .....	6.05
Clarence Nichols (In Service) .....	6.05
Dennis Roberts (In Service) .....	6.05
Bernice Taft (In Service) .....	6.05
Charles Bull (In Service) .....	6.05
	\$ 72.60

1943		
Joseph Bovey (In Service) .....	\$	6.05
Harry L. Baker (deceased) .....		6.05
Josephine Harrington .....		6.05
George E. Nolet (In Service) .....		6.05
Harry Reynolds .....		6.05
Maude Roberts .....		6.05
	—————\$	36.30
1944		
P. H. Connors (deceased) .....	\$	6.05
Lewis Harrington (over 70) .....		6.05
Isaac Harrington .....		6.05
Warren D. Howe (over 70) .....		6.05
Simon King (over 70) .....		6.05
Reid Lefevre .....		6.05
Zilda Lefevre .....		6.05
John Malone (over 70) .....		6.05
John T. Theodore (over 70) .....		6.05
	—————\$	54.45
		<u>\$ 276.65</u>

## LETTER OF APPRECIATION

East Dorset, Vermont, April 5, 1944.

Mr. Michael F. Kelly,  
Bennington, Vermont.

Dear Mr. Kelly:

The voters in Dorset, in town meeting assembled on March 7th, received word of your resignation as selectman with a great deal of reluctance and not a little sorrow. Many were present who realized that you had given forty years of fine service to your town, most of it without any thought of recompense or remuneration.

A resolution was introduced and passed instructing me as town clerk to convey to you the sincere appreciation of the voters of the town of Dorset for your long and sincere service in their interest.

Very truly yours,

ANNA A. SHERLOCK,  
Town Clerk.



## **OLD AGE ASSISTANCE DEPARTMENT**

**120 State Street  
Montpelier, Vermont**

For the information of your taxpayers the customary annual statement is presented for your town report.

Payments of Old Age Assistance to persons applying from your town amounted to \$5,855.00 during the year January 1, 1944, to December 31, 1944. The number of recipients in December, 1944, was 25.

The resources of this department and its ability to make payments are determined by the state appropriation which is matched by federal funds. During recent months it has not been possible to grant assistance or to increase all who were found eligible after investigation. The cost of living has increased so much that about every case needs to be increased that is not now getting the maximum. The co-operation of Overseers in extending temporary aid and supplementary medical services has been very helpful.

The administrative expenses of this department have risen slightly during the biennial period but the administrative review of the Social Security Board emphasizes that the total administrative cost per case per month is among the lowest in the country.

The advice and counsel of local officials and interested people are gratefully acknowledged by this department and its field staff.

Very sincerely yours,

WILLIAM L. SEWARD, Director.

## **TREASURY DEPARTMENT**

### **War Finance Committee For Vermont**

January 12, 1945.

To the People of Vermont:

During 1944 the War Finance Committee for Vermont conducted the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth War Loan Campaigns, all eminently successful;—successful not alone in the amount of money raised but successful in that it enabled more than one hundred thousand Vermonters to save and at the same time furnish their government with funds to conduct the war.

In these three campaigns Vermonters purchased \$112,-600,000 worth of Bonds of all kinds; \$20,450,000 in Series E Bonds and \$8,626,000 in Series F and G Bonds, and the remainder in the so-called Treasury issues.

To sell this large amount of Bonds required a good organization and a co-operative response on the part of the people. We had both.

Vermont's sales army in each of the three campaigns consisted of about four thousand men and women. People who gave of their time and effort to make these campaigns a success;—to them, as well as to the people of Vermont, I am very grateful.

As we assemble in town meeting this year with the realization that the management of our political and civic affairs is in our own hands, let us turn our thoughts to those who are fighting to preserve these rights and liberties. Let us resolve that there may be no lessening in our efforts to back them to the limit that the war may be shortened and that their return to their homes may be hastened.

FRED C. MARTIN, Executive Manager,  
War Finance Committee.

## REPORT OF RED CROSS WORK IN DORSET AND EAST DORSET

The Dorset Branch of the Battenkill Valley Chapter of the American Red Cross, with Miss Ruth Taylor as Chairman, presents the following report:

Mrs. Elmer Harwood, production chairman, reports that 1525 garments have been made, 300 articles knit, and 388,772 surgical dressings have been completed during 1944.

Mrs. Rufus Gilbert, home service chairman, reports that telephone calls and telegrams have been made and assistance given whenever necessary to help service men and their families.

Mrs. Ernest Edgerton, Junior Red Cross chairman, reports that to date 588 articles have been completed since September, 1944, with three Dorset schools working. The Hollow school has completed 50, the South Dorset school 202, and the North District 336. Knitted squares, painted menu cards, puzzles, loom weaving, and Christmas socks were among the articles completed.

Mrs. Henry Van Loon, Red Cross Drive chairman, reports \$2,828.11 received for the March Annual Drive, which exceeded Dorset's quota.

Miss Sally Clarke, treasurer, reports a substantial sum in the treasury.

Respectfully submitted,

GRACE M. TIFFT, Secretary.

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The East Dorset Branch of the American Red Cross, with Mrs. Walter Beebe, chairman, presents the following report for the year 1944:

10 girls' slips	5 boys' overalls
10 child's pajamas	5 girls' blouses
20 babies' shirts	5 women's blouses
10 women's nightgowns	5 army mufflers
5 boys' shirts	10 army wristlets
10 men's cotton shirts	5 navy gloves
5 women's slips	1 army glove
5 boys' coats	5 navy scarves

## HONOR ROLL FOR TOWN OF DORSET

*Adams, Josiah K.	Gilbert, Stuart K.
Abbott, Virginia M.	Gilbert, William F.
Baker, Rufus	Gilbert, Frank W.
Beebe, Wilson H.	Grout, Raymond D.
Barbour, Mark	Giddings, Frederick D.
Barrows, William G., Jr.	‡Herbert, John W.
Bowen, Wilbur C.	‡Harwood, Horace G.
Brophy, Milton S.	Harwood, Samuel F.
Burns, Robert	Harwood, James K.
Button, Clarence V.	Harwood, Donald H.
Burke, Claude	Harrington, Joseph
	Harrington, Louis E.
Carpenter, Frank K.	Jones, Walter E.
Casey, Roy	Jones, Charles E.
Clayton, Kenneth	Joslin, Fay
Colbourn, Arthur P.	Joslin, Warren
Connors, George H.	Kelly, James J.
Connors, Robert	Kelley, John Jr.
Colvin, Cecil	Kelly, Katherine
Colvin, Louis F.	Kelleher, Philip M.
Cunningham, Richard M.	Kelleher, John L.
Depew, Morris W.	Kinney, Robert J.
Dern, Claude	King, Thomas
Dorr, Silas E.	
Eggleston, Frank D.	*Lindsey, Frank
Edgerton, Leon B.	MacDonald, Kenneth G.
Farley, Morgan	McBride, Francis
Fairman, Charles	*McDevitt, Edward
Fairman, Kenneth	McGuffin, Lloyd B.
Gallagher, John R.	*McWayne, George
Garrett, George	Martin, Winfield
Gilbert, David	Merrow, Raymond P.
Gilbert, Charles B.	Miller, James
Gilbert, Huntington K.	Moffitt, Cyrus
Gilbert, James H.	Moore, Kent
Gilbert, R. Sykes	Nims, Anne

Nims, Marshall  
Nims, Robert  
Nichols, Clarence B.  
Nolet, George

Park, Edward L.  
Park, William  
Park, Henry  
Park, Raymond  
Park, Duane  
Parsons, David T.  
Phillips, David  
Phillips, Ernest  
\*Pickhardt, Otto C.  
Pickhardt, Roger  
Pickhardt, Tom  
Pocock, James, Jr.  
Pocock, Richard

Read, James W.  
Reed, Sherman  
Revett, Nelson  
Roberts, Dennis  
Roberts, William

Sears, Zenas  
Snare, Frederick K., 3rd  
Snare, William  
Stannard, James P.  
\*Stannard, John N.  
Stannard, Raymond

\*Discharged.

‡Died in Service.

Stannard, Richard  
Stannard, Henry  
Streeter, Howard  
Stone, Donald B.  
Stone, Guy S.  
Streeter, George, Jr.  
Slavin, James E.  
Sweeney, John R.

Taft, Berniss  
Towsley, Stanley  
Towsley, Earl  
Towsley, Charles

\*VanOrman, Arthur  
Viarengo, Hugo

Wade, Paul D.  
Wade, Phillip  
Wade, Walter  
Warren, Mary A.  
Warren, Byrne A.  
Warren, Franklin K.  
Whalon, James D.  
Whalon, Lawrence J.  
Whalon, William K.  
Wyman, David T.  
Wyman, H. Francis  
West, Beulah  
West, George

An attempt has been made to have this list complete. If there are any omissions it is purely an oversight.



## **VITAL STATISTICS, 1944**

### **BIRTH RECORDS**

- Feb. 20—Baker, Jessie Louise, to David A. and Lillian (Reed) Baker.
- May 19—Connors, David Edward, to Paul H. and Helen (Landon) Connors.
- Aug. 30—Lake, George Arnold, Jr., to George A. and Jennie (LaRose) Lake.
- May 13—Nichols, Alice Rose, to Walter and Harriet (Towne) Nichols.
- July 30—Payne, Florence Lottie, to Carlton and Emma (Streeter) Payne.
- June 17—Phillips, Erwin Charles, to Charles S. and Bertha (Kelley) Phillips.
- Jan. 25—Squires, Douglas Howard, to Frank H. and Grace (Phillips) Squires.
- Sept. 29—Stewart, Dennis Claude, to Albert R. and Pauline (Wetherby) Stewart.
- July 28—Tarbell, Claudie Jean, to Frank A., Jr., and Hazel (Burke) Tarbell.

#### **At Putnam Memorial Hospital, Bennington, Vt.**

- Jan. 14—Williams, Henry Charles, to William and Nelle K. (Sanderson) Williams.
- Nov. 21—Colvin, Virginia Mae, to Leo Leroy and Jessie Mae (Dorr) Colvin.

#### **At Rutland Hospital, Rutland, Vt.**

- Nov. 4—McDaniels, Geraldine Adele, to Ernest E. and Rena (Copeland) McDaniels.

### **MARRIAGE RECORD**

- Jan. 19—David Baker and Lillian Reed.
- Mar. 23—Morris W. Depew and Doris L. Bullard.
- May 24—Leo Leroy Colvin and Jessie Mae Dorr.
- June 30—Roy B. Verderey, Jr., and Charlotte Elizabeth Gilbert.
- Aug. 30—Robert P. Fowler and Ruth Elizabeth Stone.
- Sept. 30—Charles B. Gilbert and Gloria Jacoby.
- Oct. 12—Stuart Macnaughtan Hill and Ruth Patricia Trefry.
- Nov. 25—Alexander Francis Keefe and Kathryn Veronica Kelley.
- Dec. 22—Leroy Wm. McWayne and Ruth Williard.

# DEATH RECORD

	Yrs.	Mos.	Da.
Jan. 9—Eva Minerva Legare .....	73	0	22
Jan. 16—Ida Louise Jameson .....	67	9	14
Feb. 4—Mary Jane Robinson .....	88	0	9
Mar. 14—George Elby Livingston ....	74	6	0
Apr. 16—Albert A. Cummings .....	82	5	14
Apr. 19—George Baldwin .....	80	0	20
May 9—Fannie Woodard .....	50	4	22
June 26—Margaret Ann Codey .....	82	3	20
July 1—Howard R. Pfaelzer .....	63	0	23
July 3—Elizabeth Sykes Lee .....	70	10	0
July 5—Patrick H. Connors .....	68	0	0
Aug. 26—Henry Farrar Harwood ....	63	0	13
Oct. 24—Laurina R. Graves .....	72	7	27
Nov. 6—L. Mason Clarke .....	85	1	27
Nov. 8—Margaret S. Harrington ....	82	4	27
Nov. 10—Peter Stephen Hopkins ....	0	6	17
Nov. 10—Wallace Hiram Brock ....	77	0	26
Nov. 20—Burton Elmer Harrington ..	77	8	10
Nov. 28—Jay J. Harrington .....	75	11	28









# WARNING

Legal Voters in Town Meeting and Town School District in the Town of Dorset, State of Vermont, are hereby warned and notified to meet at the Dorset School Hall in the Village of Dorset on the 6th day of March, 1945, at the hour of ten A. M. in the forenoon of said day to transact the following business:

Art. 1. To hear the report of the Town Officers and take proper action thereon.

Art. 2. To elect Town Officers for the ensuing year. To be voted on by the Australian Ballot. Ballot Box closes at 2:00 P. M.

Art. 3. To hear the report of the Town Officers on the Budget adopted at the 1944 Town Meeting, and to act on the 1945 Budget and its attendant tax rate, as prepared by the Town Officers.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise money by taxation or otherwise to pay the current expenses and indebtedness of the Town.

Art. 5. To see if the Town will accept the provisions made by law for the payment of Taxes to the Town Treasurer.

Art. 6. To determine by vote the date on which Taxes shall be payable and what discount, if any, not to exceed four per cent, shall be allowed if paid on or before the specified time.

Art. 7. Shall the names of delinquent taxpayers of both Poll and Real Estate Taxes be published in the Town Report?

Art. 8. What amount, if any, in excess of that required by law, shall the Town School District pay for High School Tuition?

Art. 9. To see if the Town will vote an appropriation of \$100.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Art. 10. To vote by Ballot upon the following questions: Shall licenses for the sale of malt and vinous beverages be granted in this Town? Shall spirituous liquors be sold in this Town?

Art. 11. To see what compensation the Town will vote its Town Officers.

Art. 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and empower its Selectmen to appoint one or two road commissioners.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to employ an Accountant from the Office of the Auditor of Accounts under article No. 55, Acts of 1937.

Art. 14. To vote on the following questions by Australian Ballot: Shall baseball be permitted after 2:00 P. M., on Sunday in this Town? Shall lectures and concerts be permitted after 6:00 P. M., on Sunday in this Town? Shall moving pictures be permitted after 6:00 P. M. on Sunday in this Town?

Art. 15. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the Australian Ballot system for the election of Town Officers.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will vote an appropriation of \$200.00 or any other amount, to the Dorset Library.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to have its Fiscal Year end on December 31st, 1945.

Art. 18. To see if the Town will vote an appropriation of \$200.00 or any other amount, to the East Dorset Fire Department.

Art. 19. Shall the Voters of the Town of Dorset exempt for a period of five (5) years the J. K. Adams Company taxes on Manufacturing Plant?

Art. 20. Shall the Town vote to prohibit all advertising signs having an area of over forty square feet over all—this regulation to go into effect at once. This shall not affect business signs on property which pertain exclusively to the property itself, its sale, its rental, or business conducted thereon, nor existing direction signs.

Art. 21. To transact any other business proper to come before this meeting.

Dated at Dorset, Vermont, this sixth day of January A. D. 1945.

JOHN STANNARD,  
EDWARD J. LEARY,  
PAUL E. WHITE,

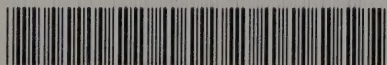
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